

**29-31 MARKET STREET**

LOWELL'S LEADING FRUIT STORE

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# CHALIFOUX'S DAY OF DAYS, PENNANT DAY, PAYS ALL WHO ATTEND

Ladies' Rest and  
Waiting Room on  
Second Floor.

## HAT DEPT.

Men's Straw Hats, in Bennett and soft curl brim, \$1.00 and \$1.50 values. Pennant Day .....69c  
Men's Shepherd Plaid Caps, in all sizes, with leather sweat band, 50c value. Pennant Day .....29c

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COR. MERRIMACK & CENTRAL ST.  
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## MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

White Untrimmed Hats, values \$1.98 and \$2.48. Pennant Day .....99c  
Colored and Black Untrimmed Hats, values 98c and \$1.98. Pennant Day .....39c  
All Trimmed Straw Hats, values \$3.60 and \$5.00. Pennant Day .....98c and \$1.98  
Straw Braids, values 89c and 98c. Pennant Day .....19c  
Wreaths, regularly sold for 48c. Pennant Day .....19c

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Wraps at Free Check  
Room on Street Floor.

Pennant  
Bargains  
Wednesday  
Read  
About  
Them  
Here

**PENNANT DAY**

**These Goods on Sale One Day Only, Wed, Aug. 18th**

The items quoted below are of such an order that you will appreciate this once a month bargain day. Your buying opportunities are plentiful here.

Everything  
You Buy  
Pennant  
Day  
Saves  
You  
Money

## Women's and Misses' Skirts

Odd lot of many styles including White Wash Skirts, broken sizes, \$2.00 value. Pennant Day .....49c  
Wool Skirts in many styles, in plain and tulle effects, colors are black, blue, green and brown, with values up to \$6.00. Pennant Day .....\$2.98

## Women's and Misses' Suits

Broken lot of Suits, including outfits for stout women, many sold as high as \$20. Pennant Day \$6.98

## Women's and Misses' Dresses, Coats

Odd lot of Dresses and Coats, dresses of lawn, gingham and chambray, values \$2.00 to \$5.00. Pennant Day .....88c  
White Embroidered Dresses, tulle effect, also lawn and linen; value \$2.98. Pennant Day .....\$1.98  
Fine quality Dresses in gingham, pique, crepe and striped chambray; \$2.98 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.69  
White Net Dresses, tulle effect, high giraffe belt, many styles to select from; regular \$10 value. Pennant Day .....\$2.98

## HOUSE DRESSES

House Dresses, 34 to 46, 69c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
House Dresses, made of good gingham and chambray, \$1.00 values. Pennant Day .....65c  
Afternoon Dresses, in all new patterns, wide skirts; regular \$1.50 and \$2 values. Pennant Day 88c  
Street Dresses in gingham, seersucker and chambray, \$2 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.29

## APRONS

Allover Aprons, in light and dark colors, 49c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
Allover Aprons, in light colors, 39c value. Pennant Day .....19c  
Apron Dresses, in light and dark colors, closed back, 69c value. Pennant Day .....89c

## KIMONOS

Long Muslin Kimonos, 69c value. Pennant Day .....49c  
Long Crepe Kimonos, new styles and pretty patterns, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day .....85c

## BOUDOIR CAPS

Boudoir Caps, in all colors and styles, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....49c  
Boudoir Caps in white, pink and blue, 39c value. Pennant Day 19c

## CANDY DEPT.

American Mixture of Chocolate Fingers, Dito Sandwiches, and Morning Noon and Night Cookies, 23c value. Pennant Day .....16c  
English assortment of 13 different kinds, 45c value. Pennant Day 29c  
Novelties of all kinds with values to 50c. Pennant Day .....5c

## KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Fine Ribbed Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, lace and cuff knees, sizes 5 and 6, 49c value. Pennant Day 27c, 2 for 50c  
Women's Lisle Vests, fine stitch and Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeveless, 29c value. Pennant Day .....14c  
Women's Fine Ribbed Jersey Vests, low neck, sleeveless, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day .....9c, 3 for 25c  
Children's Fine Ribbed Jersey Vests, low neck, sleeveless and short sleeves. Pants cuff and lace trimmed, first quality, sizes 20 to 34. Regular 25c value. Pennant Day .....17c  
Lot of Summer Jersey Vests, sizes 5 and 6, 7c value. Pennant Day 5 for 19c

## WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Women's Pure Silk Hose, double welt of lisle, double sole and high spliced heel, colors sand, putty, pink, sky, tan, suede, Russian green, first quality, regular \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....75c  
Women's Silk Hose in black and colors, 4 inch garter top of lisle, high spliced heel, double sole, (seconds of \$1.00 quality). Pennant Day .....50c  
Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned and seamless, high spliced heel and double sole, elastic top, 25c value. Pennant Day 18c  
Women's Full Fashioned Black Cotton Lisle Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, wide welt, 25c value. Pennant Day 12 1/2c, 6 Pairs 65c  
Women's Black Cotton Hose, medium weight, double heel and toe, subject to slight imperfections, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day 3 Pairs for 25c

## TOILET GOODS

Perfume Extract in rose, mayflower, carnation pink, crabsapple, and trefle; value 50c an oz. Pennant Day .....25c an Oz.

## WHITE BACK MIRRORS

With bevel edge, straight and ring handles, slightly imperfect, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....25c

## JEWELRY DEPT.

Bead Necklaces, in plain and graduated, assorted colors and lengths, values 25c and 50c. Pennant Day .....11c  
Gold Plated Chain, with a handsome pendant, set with white stones, amethyst and rubies, 50c value. Pennant Day .....14c  
Sterling Silver Baby Spoons, several designs, \$1 and \$1.25 values. Pennant Day .....79c  
Silk Bags in red, purple, navy and black, 50c value. Pennant Day 29c

## CORSETS

New lot of P. N. Corsets, with neatly trimmed tops, well boned, \$1 value. Pennant Day .....65c  
New Corsets, light and heavy weight, in long and short lengths, 69c value. Pennant Day .....50c  
Fancy Trimmed Brassieres, in new patterns, 39c value. Pennant Day 19c  
Children's Waists, in all sizes, 29c value. Pennant Day .....19c  
Sanitary Aprons of light weight rubber, 12c value. Pennant Day 11c  
New Fancy Trimmed Ruffles, 19c value. Pennant Day .....18c  
Boxes of Sanitary Napkins, 3 in a box, 15c value. Pennant Day 7c

## Children's Dept.

Children's Summer Dresses, values \$1.48, \$1.98 and \$2.98. Pennant Day .....\$1.00  
Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14, 49c values. Pennant Day 29c  
Children's White Dresses, sizes 6 to 14, values 95c and \$1.48. Pennant Day .....49c  
Children's Woolen Sweaters - good for school wear, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.49  
Children's Summer Coats, serge, poplin and mixtures, sizes 6 to 14, value \$5.00. Pennant Day \$2.98  
Children's Cotton Skirts, lace and embroidery trimmed, 49c value. Pennant Day .....37c  
Children's Slip-on Dresses, in tan, blue and white, sizes 6 to 16. Pennant Day .....10c

## INFANTS' DEPT.

Infants' Long Slips, 98c and \$1.19 values. Pennant Day .....79c  
Infants' Flannel Skirts, embroidered edge, 69c and 95c values. Pennant Day .....59c  
Infants' Long Slips, lace and embroidered yokes, \$1.98 and \$2.49 values. Pennant Day .....\$1.69  
Infants' Short Dresses, prettily embroidered, \$1.49 and \$1.98 values. Pennant Day .....\$1.00  
Infants' Silk Bonnets, \$1.49 and \$1.98 values. Pennant Day .....\$1.00  
Infants' Head Blankets, good flannel, pretty embroidered, 89c value. Pennant Day .....69c  
Infants' Lisle Hose, in pink, blue, tan and white. Pennant Day .....10c

## Women's Gloves

Women's 16-button White Silk Gloves, first quality, embroidered back, double tipped fingers, 45c value. Pennant Day .....49c  
Women's 1-clasp Cape Gloves, in tan and gray, durable quality, spear point, also black, fine quality, embroidered backs, all sizes, 54c to 7 1/2c, regular \$1.50 values. Pennant Day .....\$1.10

## RIBBONS

All Silk Ribbons, in fancy stripe, evening stripe, light and dark tulle, satin, moire, taffeta and satin, 5 to 7 1/2 inches wide, 35c value. Pennant Day .....25c  
Lot of fancy Dresden, stripes, mes-saline, satin tulle, black and white stripes, brocade satin and fancy plaids, very desirable for fancy work, 25c and 29c values. Pennant Day .....15c

## HAIR PINS

Very large loop top Hair Pins in amber and shell, 10c and 25c values. Pennant Day .....5c

## STREET FLOOR

## Muslin Underwear

Lace Camisoles, 69c value. Pennant Day .....15c  
Women's Drawers, made of Windsor crepe, 50c value. Pennant Day .....25c  
Night Robes, made of good cotton, extra large, 79c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
Combinations, lace and hampburg trimmed, 79c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
Corset Covers and Drawers, 69c values. Pennant Day .....39c  
Long White Petticoats, with deep embroidered flounce, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....55c  
Combinations, Envelope Chemise and Night Robes (counter soiled), values to \$1.98. Pennant Day 55c  
Pink and Blue Petticoats, made of Tulle silk with deep lace flounce with lace underlay, \$2.98 value. Pennant Day .....89c  
Combinations, Night Robes, Chemise, straight and envelope, and Petticoats, values to \$2.98 (counter soiled). Pennant Day .....89c

## WAIST DEPT.

White and Colored Waists (counter soiled). Regular price \$1.00. Pennant Day .....29c  
White and Colored Waists. Regular price \$1.00. Pennant Day 55c  
Ladies' Blouses, made of the best quality galatea with colored crepe trimming, all sizes, \$1.25 value. Pennant Day .....55c  
White, pink and flesh Colored Crepe de Chine Waists, value \$2.50. Pennant Day .....\$1.50  
White and Colored Crepe de Chine, Messaline, Tub Silk and Jap. Silk and Chiffon Waists, values to \$5. Pennant Day .....\$1.50

## PETTICOATS

Colored Gingham Petticoats, extra large size, 69c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
Colored Mercerized Petticoats, regular value \$1. Pennant Day 39c  
Colored Silk Petticoats, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day .....55c  
Colored Mercerized Petticoats, \$1.25 value. Pennant Day .....89c

## Women's Neckwear

Embroidered Swiss Vestees with back, 50c value. Pennant Day 25c  
Quaker Collars with colored borders, 39c value. Pennant Day 25c  
Long Sleeve Gimpes, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.00  
Quaker and Standing Collars, 50c value. Pennant Day .....37c  
Colored Veilings, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day .....5c Yard

## HANDKERCHIEFS

Children's Handkerchiefs, 5c value. Pennant Day .....1c Each  
Women's Soiled Handkerchiefs, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day 3 for 25c  
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs (soiled), 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day 3 for 25c

## READY-TO-USE DOMESTICS

Japanese Draw-work Scarfs and Squares, some with embroidery, 60c value. Pennant Day .....35c, 3 for \$1.00  
Bleached Bath Towels, fringed ends large size, 12c value. Pennant Day .....8c  
Bath Towels, extra large size, hemmed ends, heavy weight, 25c value. Pennant Day .....14c  
Sheets, bleached cotton, double bed size, 39c value. Pennant Day 27c  
Sheets, round thread bleached cotton, size 12x90, 50c value. Pennant Day .....35c  
Pillow Cases, soft finish cotton, size 12x36 1/2 inch value. Pennant Day .....8c, 4 for 30c  
Bedspreads, light weight for summer use, hemmed ends, 79c value. Pennant Day .....55c  
White Satin Quilts, scalloped ends, full size, latest designs, \$2.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.75

## NOTION DEPT.

3c Darning Cotton, in black, white and colors. Pennant Day 3 for 5c  
Wire Hair Pins, plain and crimped, 6c value. Pennant Day 6 papers 5c  
English Tape, white superfine, 1-4 to 3-4 inches wide, 10c value. Pennant Day .....6c  
5c Basting Cotton, 600 yard spools. Pennant Day .....2 for 5c  
3c Toilet Pins, best polished needle point, full count. Pennant Day 3 for 5c  
Sewing Thread, 200 yard spools, in white and black, 3c value. Pennant Day .....6 for 10c  
5c Linen Finished Thread. Pennant Day 2 for 5c  
5c Corset Laces, 5 yds., mercerized, cotton and lisle. Pennant Day 2 for 5c  
Hc Elastic, black only, 2c value. Pennant Day .....1c a Yard

## DRAPERY DEPT.

Figured Silkoline, suitable for mantle scarfs, curtains, etc. 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day .....9c Yard  
Curtain Muslin for sash or long curtains, regular value 10c. Pennant Day .....7c Yard  
100 Axminster Rugs, size 27x54, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.19  
Rag Rugs, strictly washable; regular value \$1.19. Pennant Day 79c  
White End Curtain Rods, 10c value. Pennant Day .....5c

## FURNITURE DEPT.

Porch Rockers, rattan seat, also suitable for kitchen, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.19  
White Enamel Beds, Colonial posts with brass mounts, \$3.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$2.49  
National Springs, all sizes, fully guaranteed, \$3.00 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.95

## SHOE SPECIALS

200 pairs of Girls' and Women's Low Shoes - great bargains for wearers of small sizes. Oxfords and Pumps in white and black leather, sizes 1 to 4 only. Regular prices \$1 and \$2. Pennant Day .....50c  
Women's \$1.60 Comfort Shoes, soft kid skin, Juliette with tip or plain toe. Pennant Day .....98c  
Women's New Fall Shoes, in gun metal, patent calf and vici kid, button and blucher boots with kid or cloth top. Regular prices \$2 and \$2.50. Pennant Day .....\$1.50  
Women's Low Cut Shoes, regular prices \$1.25 to \$2.00. The lot consists of Oxfords and Pumps, remnant ends of our previous sales, all good wearing shoes, all sizes in the lot. Pennant Day .....69c  
Girls' Boots, Oxfords and Pumps, patent leather and gun metal, in all sizes up to 2. Regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.50. Pennant Day 75c  
Odd lot of Children's Pumps and Barefoot Sandals, regular prices 60c and 75c. Pennant Day .....25c  
Men's High Cut Shoes in blucher and button style, plain and patent leathers. Regular price \$2.00 and \$2.50. Pennant Day .....\$1.49

## BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT.

Boys' Washable Pants, in gingham and galatea, plain and striped, 15c values. Pennant Day .....5c  
Boys' Rompers, in high grade galatea, in blue, tan and red stripes, 50c value. Pennant Day 37c  
Boys' Wash Suits, new Tommy Tucker style, also a few vesties, \$1.00 values. Pennant Day .....59c  
Boys' Norfolk Suits, Bulgarian style, in blue serge and gray cashmere, attached belt and patch pockets, \$2.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.49  
Boys' Khaki Pants, dark shades, broken sizes of our 50c line. Pennant Day .....37c  
Boys' Raincoats, dark gray and tan, broken sizes, values \$1.50 and \$2.00. Pennant Day .....98c

## DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

## Men's Furnishings STREET FLOOR

Men's Negligee Shirts, in solsette, madras, percale and silk front, soft French cuffs, coat style, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....69c  
Men's Tub Silk Front Shirts, warranted to wash, soft French cuffs, coat style, all styles, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.15  
Men's Night Shirts, in heavy domot, cut extra big and long, sizes 15 and 16 only, 75c and \$1.00. Pennant Day .....59c  
Men's Lisle Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length, all sizes, (seconds), \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....50c  
Men's Athletic Union Suits, in plain muslin and basket weave, knee length, loose fitting, 75c value. Pennant Day .....39c  
Men's Lisle and Heavy Web Suspender, cast-off leather ends, 50c value. Pennant Day .....19c  
Men's Four-in-hand Ties in pure silk, all the latest colorings with easy band, open end, 60c value. Pennant Day .....35c  
All our odds and ends of Silk and Wash Silk Four-in-hand Ties, regular 25c value. Pennant Day 10c  
Men's Fibre Silk Hose, double heel, sole and toe, black only (seconds), all sizes, 35c value. Pennant Day 14c, 2 for 25c

## ENVELOPES

The best Linen Envelopes, very heavy, corresponding size, 25 in a package, 15c value. Pennant Day .....10c

## MEN'S STORE

Auto Dusters, in linen shades only, sizes 36 to 50, military collar and cut full, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day .....69c  
Men's Raincoats, in tan and oxford gray, all seams strapped and cemented, sizes 36 to 42; \$10.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$6.50  
Men's Raincoats, in tan, double texture, all sizes to 44; \$9.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.98  
Men's Suits in fancy serges, worsteds and cassimeres, plain or patch pockets, in brown, gray or green plaids and mixtures. Values \$10 and \$12. Pennant Day .....\$7.39  
Men's Worsteds and Cassimeres Pants in grays and browns, also blue serges, sizes 30 to 50 waist, \$3.00 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.79

## STREET FLOOR

## MEN'S CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Wool Cheviot, Gray Striped Suits, sizes 36 to 42. Value \$8.00. Pennant Day .....\$3.39  
Men's Suits in black worsted, Venetian lined and well tailored, all sizes to 42. Values to \$8. Pennant Day .....\$5.00  
Men's Suits in black worsted with half-line stripes; pants can be finished plain or cut bottom, \$9.50 value. Pennant Day .....\$5.00  
Men's Pants, in blue serge, black chevots and fancy mixtures, all sizes, 29 to 44, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day .....79c  
Men's Pants, in black cheviot, mixtures and gray stripes, 30 to 42 waist, \$2.00 value. Pennant Day .....\$1.39

## DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Negligee Shirts, in blue chambray and cream and white with separate collars, 50c value. Pennant Day .....25c  
Men's Balbriggan Underwear, shirts with short sleeves, drawers with double seat (seconds), 50c value. Pennant Day .....25c  
Men's Medium Weight Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, (seconds), 50c value. Pennant Day .....35c  
Men's Canvas Gloves with knit wrist, 10c and 12 1/2c values. Pennant Day .....7c, 4 for 25c  
Broken Lines of Men's Cloth, Felt and Straw Hats, values 50c to \$1. Pennant Day .....25c  
Men's Bow Ties, in all colors, 15c value. Pennant Day 5c, 6 for 25c

## BOYS' FURNISHINGS

Boys' Negligee Shirts, either with or without collars, laundered or soft French cuffs; sizes 12 1/2 to 14, 60c value. Pennant Day .....49c  
Boys' Black Stockings, sizes 7-10 only, 10c value. Pennant Day 7c, 4 for 25c  
Boys' Wool Sweaters in V neck and Byron collar in crimson only, sizes 25 to 34, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....69c  
Boys' Palamas, in solsette, madras and percale, in plain and fancy colors, sizes 8 to 18, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day .....50c

## DOLLS

Character Dolls, several styles, select from, regular value \$1. Pennant Day .....50c

## SODA FOUNTAIN SPECIALS

Pineapple Temptation College Ice, 10c size .....5c  
24 SODA CHECKS, \$1.00 Value .....69c  
Vanilla Cream, with frozen pudding sauce, 10c size .....5c

**PENNANT DAY LAW**

1-GOODS MUST BE MARKED 25 TO 50% LOWER THAN THEY CAN BE BOUGHT ELSEWHERE.  
2-THE PRICES ARE THE LOWEST OF THE MONTH.  
3-VALUES ARE AS STATED, NOT EXAGGERATED.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT SAVES YOU MONEY

## CALL HIMSELF EMPEROR

YUAN SHI-KAI TO PROCLAIM HIMSELF RULER OF CHINA—NEW CREATES SENSATION IN PEKIN

PEKIN, Aug. 17.—The project of proclaiming himself emperor is being discussed by Yuan Shi-Kai, President of the Chinese republic, with his immediate supporters and Prof. Frank Johnson Goodnow or John Hopkins university, legal advisor to the Chinese government, who is spending the summer in Peking.

Prof. Goodnow, who secured the confidence of Yuan Shi-Kai by advice given in former critical times, has been consulted on this question since his arrival here a month ago and it is learned that he approves the project.

The news became public by the deliberate publication yesterday morning of the newspaper of accounts of the formation of an association for the purpose of discussing whether a monarchy is not better form of government for China.

The published article telling of the formation of the society quotes Prof. Goodnow as declaring that for China a monarchy is a better form of government than a republic and that conditions are different in China and America, and it is impossible to transplant a system of one country to another in Peking.

It is learned from one of Yuan Shi-Kai's immediate supporters that if the project proves feasible the plan is to establish the monarchy within two years.

The news has created a sensation in Peking, and is being telegraphed throughout the country.

## MATRIMONIAL

**Prud'homme Peladeau**

Arthur Prud'homme and Miss Arsenia Peladeau were married yesterday, the ceremony being performed at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. Rosario J. Albert, O. M. I. The bride wore white crepe de chine with overlace and she carried a large bouquet of flowers. The groom was in a tuxedo. The ceremony was attended by the bride's father, Pierre Peladeau, while the bridegroom's witness was his uncle, Achille Demers. At the close of the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the home of the bride, 20 Davis avenue, where a wedding dinner was served, followed by a brief reception. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous costly gifts, left at noon on a honeymoon through the New England states.

**Lalline-Gauthier**

Victor Lalline and Miss Maria Gauthier, the latter a sister of the deceased wife of Mr. Lalline, were married yesterday at a nuptial mass celebrated at seven o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Armand Bouché, O. M. I. The couple were attended by Rev. Lalline and Hermenegilde Lorange. At the close of the ceremony the couple repaired to their home in Gage street, where a wedding dinner was served to the immediate relatives.

**Duguay-Lyonnais**

Urie Duguay and Miss Desoline Lyonnais, both of Manchester, N. H., were married in this city yesterday, the ceremony being performed at a high nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Jean Baptiste church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Alexandre Duguay and William Lyonnais, fathers of the bridegroom and bride respectively.

The ceremony was attended by a large number of relatives and friends from this city and Manchester, N. H., the out-of-town delegation having made the trip in three large automobiles of the touring type. At the close of the church ceremony the three machines returned to Manchester, N. H., where a reception was tendered to the happy couple at the home of the bride. The young couple were married in this city because they are first cousins and there is a law prohibiting the marriage of cousins in New Hampshire. A dispensation from Bishop Guertin of the Manchester diocese was obtained and a special permit was obtained from the pastor of St. Jean Baptiste church.

tained from the pastor of the bride's parish to have the ceremony performed in this city. Mr. Duguay came to Lowell last week and made all arrangements for the marriage, going to city hall for a license and to St. Joseph's rectory for other arrangements concerning the marriage. A similar marriage was performed at St. Joseph's rectory a few months ago and another is scheduled for this week, all parties interested coming from Manchester, N. H.

## THE CARLISLE TAX RATE

DROP OF \$6.40 AN AGREABLE SURPRISE—BIG CELEBRATION FOLLOWS

A pleasant surprise was recently given the residents of Carlisle, when the assessors announced the tax rate for 1915. Last year's tax rate was \$13 per \$100, and a drop in the rate was expected, but when the assessors announced the rate to be \$7.60 per \$100, a reduction of \$5.40 per \$100, a most pleasing surprise was sprung.

A movement is on foot for a grand celebration at Carlisle next Friday, the occasion to be an "old home" day. It is expected that many outsiders will join the residents of the town in the celebration and a most delightful time is in store for all who will attend.

The program of the day will open with a grand parade at 10 o'clock in the morning, this to be followed by a varied program of sports. At 12:30 o'clock dinner will be served and it is necessary that all desiring dinner send their names at once to G. G. Wilkins, chairman of the dinner committee.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon an address of welcome will be delivered by Rev. Elvin J. Prescott, Mrs. Belle Harrington Hall of Lowell, the well known reader, will entertain with a few selections. The Middlesex county training school band will supply music throughout the day and in the afternoon addresses will be given by Henry A. Shute of Exeter, N. H., author of "The Real Diary of a Real Boy," District Attorney William J. Corcoran of Cambridge, Senator Charles A. Kimball of Littleton and former Senator Edward Fisher of Westford.

## CITY HALL NEWS

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The Westford street dre house would be abandoned. It is just as necessary, in my mind, to have that house in use as it is to maintain the Palmer street house."

"The Westford street house," said Mr. Carmichael, "is within 1000 feet of the Branch street house, a difference in time of about one minute, and with the Branch street house properly equipped with motorized apparatus the Highlands can and would be properly protected."

Mr. Morse, however, maintained that in case of a conflagration in the downtown section it would be necessary to have the Westford street house in operation for the proper protection of the Highlands.

Commissioner Carmichael said he intended to put the horses back in the Westford street house. "The question came on the petition to put a properly equipped chemical engine there and the matter was referred to Commissioner Carmichael."

**The Voting Lists**

The commissioner of finance was authorized to contract with the Conter-Citizen company for the printing of the necessary voting lists at an expense not to exceed \$600. Minor petitions having to do with gasoline, wire attachments, etc., were referred.

The mayor read a communication relative to repairs in Baylston street between Sprague avenue and the North River road and another communication from the county commissioner wherein it was stated that a hearing to the petitioners in the Baylston matter would be held in the court house in Gorham street on the forenoon of Sept. 20 at 10 o'clock.

George B. Viles submitted a written request for a hearing on his petition for the extension of a sewer or drain

in West Sixth street and a hearing was set for Sept. 7.

**Wants Use of Revenue**

Commissioner Putnam submitted an order for the transfer of \$192 from the general treasury to the appropriation for the maintenance of the wire department. The amount asked for represents the revenues of the department for the inspection of underground wires. Mr. Carmichael said he understood that in the beginning of the year the wire department was given money enough to carry it through the year. Mr. Putnam said there were expenses met with that were not anticipated when the appropriations were made. The matter, however, was laid over in order to give Mr. Carmichael an opportunity to investigate.

**Money for Mrs. Kenney**

The mayor read a resolution relative to the payment of \$498.00 to the mother of John J. Kenney, the boy who lost an arm and a leg as the result of an explosion in the vocational school, Oct. 23, 1914. The money was awarded Mrs. Kenney by a special act of the legislature and the city solicitor was instructed to draw up an order for \$505.00 which will be the first of three payments. The order provided that the case now pending against the city in the Kenney case shall be dismissed and that the city as well as the boy's interests shall be properly protected. The resolution was passed and the order appropriating the money was put over to Sept. 7.

**Dummer Street Extension**

Commissioner Duncan made a motion for the seizure of land in connection with the extension of Dummer street from Merrimack street in which street was asked that the city solicitor be instructed to draw up the necessary papers, and that the city engineer furnish the necessary delineations and measurements.

The motion was opposed by Commissioner Carmichael, who went on to state that the council had done so many things, but corrected himself and said "voted so many things" that he did not believe it feasible or advisable to have anything to do with the Dummer street extension at this time. He said the extension was a matter that should be allowed to go over for the consideration of some future government.

"This is something," said Mr. Duncan, "that has been agitated for years and I am sure that it would aid very materially to the valuation of property in this vicinity. I believe that we ought to go ahead with it and not allow it to go over to another government. I would like to see it started."

Mr. Carmichael did not think that the extension would improve the outlook very much and Mr. Morse asked Mr. Duncan if he really thought the work could be started this year. Mr. Duncan said the council had made a try at a good many things and he hoped that it would be able to really start something.

"This," said the mayor, "is a proposition to get the necessary data, and then will come the real question."

"If we don't intend to do it this year, I do not believe we should take any of these preliminary steps," said Mr. Carmichael.

"I don't hesitate to say," replied the mayor, "that I would vote to extend Dummer street if it can be done within proper bounds."

Mr. Duncan's motion was adopted. Mr. Carmichael voting against.

**Engage Consulting Architect**

Commissioner Carmichael moved that the mayor be authorized to engage a consulting architect in connection with the new high school. He said that the seizure of the land could not be accomplished, nor could any other of the preliminary steps be taken until a consulting architect had been engaged. The authority was granted.

**Rescinded Former Action**

In the case of a petition for pole locations in Princeton street the council, at an earlier meeting had given the petitioners leave to withdraw and motion of Commissioner Duncan and Mr. Morse, on whose recommendation the petitioners had been given leave to withdraw, the council rescinded its action and granted the petition.

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## PERSONALS

Miss Marion Nichols is camping with her father, Mr. A. G. Stanley and family at Rock Pond, Peabody, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lorrain and son, Charles, of 55 Puffer street have returned from a week's vacation at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Clements of 43 Hurd street has gone to Thorndike, Me. to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hogan.

Miss Fannie Sternbans, formerly of Lowell, now of Clinton, is visiting friends here.

A son was born Aug. 14 to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Diglis of 52 Hampshire street.

The members of the Violet Girls' club are spending their vacations at Salisbury beach.

Miss Catherine Cox of Wachusett street, will spend the week-end at Salisbury beach.

The Bachelor Girls will be found at Salisbury beach for the next two weeks.

Miss Yvonne Asselin of the J. L. Chaffoux building, returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Mac Gilligan of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Helen Mark of the A. G. Pollard Co. will enjoy a vacation for the next two weeks.

Miss Eva Curran of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after spending an enjoyable vacation.

Ex-Member James Burns will tour the various beaches during the next two weeks.

Miss Lillian Santimore of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Anna Flanagan of Appleton street will spend the next two weeks camping in New Hampshire.

Miss Lana Ober of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after a two weeks' vacation.

Misses Mae Bradley and Jennie Viles of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. will visit friends in Chicago, Thursday.

Arthur Brassard of Lynn, who spent two weeks' vacation in this city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. William Laroche of Maple street has returned from a week's vacation spent at Woburn.

Mrs. Heruile Lamothe of Fort street has returned from Woburn where she spent a week.

Mr. Ous Hayden and family of 29 Apple street, will spend the next two weeks at Salisbury beach.

The Misses Mollie Brophy and Mae Maloney, both popular stenographers, have just returned from a trip to the various beaches.

Antoine Vian of Worcester, who was the guest of his brother Charles at Vian of Hildreth street, has returned to his home.

Miss Alice Delassou of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation camping at Willow Dale.

Mrs. William Allen and daughters Ruth and Elvira of 129 London street, have left for Canada, where they will visit relatives.

Charles Fox, a prominent member of the South End club will be found at Salisbury beach for the next two weeks.

The many friends of Miss Vera McElroy of Mount Pleasant street, will be pained to learn that she is confined to her home by illness.

Miss Josephine O'Brien of Whipple street, has returned after spending at Old Orchard beach for the past two weeks.

Walker McEvoy of the Bon Marche Co. has returned after spending a two weeks' vacation at the Falcon camp, Willow Dale.

Miss Helen Smith of Cranston street, and Miss Elizabeth H. Macey of Arlington street, are visiting in New York this week.

Miss Sarah Hambrick of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. has returned after spending two weeks at Hampton beach.

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BASEMENT

## CROPS HAVE SUFFERED

RAIN DAMAGED THE HAY CROP—POTATOES AND FRUIT ALSO KEPT BACK

According to information received from farmers in the vicinity of Lowell, the July and August rain storms did not cause as much damage as many would expect, and at the Hood farm the superintendent said the rain was a God-sent for the second hay crop was the best for years and the new crop of hay harvested offset the loss in the first crop and a good deal more. But not all farmers have had the good luck with their hay of which the Hood people can boast.

Crops in the lowlands suffered mostly from the rain for portions of the farms were flooded and it was impossible in many instances to dry up the land with the result that the crops stopped growing and died.

In Tewksbury the bean crop suffered much from the storms, the wind and heavy rain breaking the stalks. Potatoes in lowlands were completely submerged and badly damaged, but as far as could be learned, other crops with the exception of corn escaped serious injury. The corn crop where not broken down may recover with warm weather.

The superintendent of Hood's farm in conversation with the writer this morning said the corn crop is exceptionally large this year. He said the corn land is covered with large stalks bearing several ears and all in all the crop is the most magnificent ever seen on the farm. Speaking about the hay, the superintendent said the first crop was exceptionally good, but a good portion of it grew up to seed on account of the harvesting being delayed by the rain. The second crop, however, was far better and in fact was the best for years, this being due to the frequent rain. The fruit crop suffered to some extent but if the rest of the month is good it may come out all right. The chief loss is in hay and undoubtedly this commodity will be high priced as a result of the damage in many cases farmers lost the greater part of their crop during the rainy weeks of July and the early days of this month.

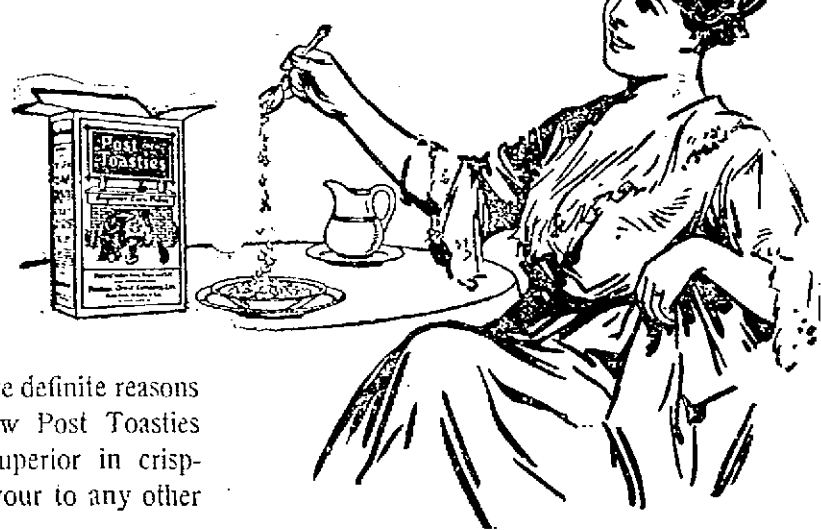
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## GREEN IS THEIR JONAH

LAWRENCE GOES OFF-COLOR WHEN PADDY TAKES THE MOUND—THIRD STRAIGHT FOR LOWELL

In a game that was all that could be desired after the opening inning, with Lawrence taking just enough of a lead to make Lowell fight up-hill, the home team took its third victory in as many days from the champions and incidentally jumped into fifth place. Lowell presented a somewhat patched up team with Swayne at third and Parker, the rookie in right field, but Paddy Green came nobly to the rescue and everything turned out to the complete satisfaction and delight of the fans.

Lawrence got a three-run lead in the first inning owing to Ziesler's wildness. Ziesler passed four men, Luster got a single, Warner got a two-bagger to right field and Ostergren got a sacrifice fly, all of which netted three runs for Lawrence. Then Green went on the mound for Lowell in the second half. Moulton got a single and went to second on a passed ball. Lowell then went on in order.

In the second inning Thompson opened up to the right of Green for a hit. Luster bunted a fly between the plate and first base and Munn made a beautiful one-hand catch. O'Connell fled out to Parker. Thompson stole second and Ahearn made a bad throw but Dee interfered with Thompson and the umpire allowed him to take third. Warner hit to Dee and died at first.

Lowell came across with two runs in the second. Dee opened up with a single. Munn popped a fly to Warner. Parker hit to Stearns, forcing Dee at second base. Ahearn hit to right field for a single and Parker stopped on second although he might have made third on the hit. Paddy Green hit the second ball pitched for three bases, scoring Parker and Ahearn. Swayne struck out.

In the third Warner walked, Ostergren hit a fast bunt down to first base to Munn who threw to second getting Warner. Green caught Ostergren off first and he was run down the line and tagged out. Conley fled to Swayne.

Lowell's half was of short duration. Moulton hit a high fly to Mahoney. Stimpson hit to Warner and died at first. Barrows fled out to O'Connell. No runs.

Flaherty got hit by a pitched ball and got first. He went to second on a sacrifice by Stearns. Thompson got a single to left field but Stimpson held Flaherty on third by a good throw back.

Luster got a base on balls, filling the bases. O'Connell hit to Munn who threw Flaherty out at the plate. Warner fled out.

With one out in Lowell's half Munn got a single and tried to steal second. But it was a case of "what detained you" for he was a mile behind the ball. Parker pushed out a single but Ahearn after knocking one into Stearns' splinters from under the first.

Flaherty managed to reach second for the visitors on his own hit and a sacrifice but the inning closed with him still out there in "the sun." The seventh was equally dry.

Green walked Ostergren and for the second time caught him napping off the bag. Bobber Conley opened the eighth with a single but he didn't move from first. With two gone in the ninth Warner landed the ball into the far field for a two-sacker but a moment later was gathering up his bats with the rest of the bunch.

Green opened a busy fifth inning when Stearns rubbed the letters on his shirt with a pitched ball and Paddy walked. Swayne fanned. Moulton and Ahearn followed with two singles in succession and Paddy fled.

Moulton getting third. Barrows hit a long fly to Thompson and Ahearn scored the second run. Dee followed with a hit but there was no more scoring. Ahearn singled and stole second in the sixth but remained there. Moulton scored the fifth and last run in the eighth opening with a two-bagger and taking third on a sacrifice. Stearns purposely made a bad throw to the weak-kneed Shorty Dee, the next batter, for Shorty laid a pretty bunt on which Ahearn squeezed in. Munn came across with a single but nothing more was scored.

The score:

LOWELL

Swayne 3b.....4 2 3 0 1 2  
Moulton 2b.....4 2 3 3 3 0  
Stimpson 1b.....3 0 1 3 0 0  
Barrows cf.....3 0 2 3 0 0  
Dee ss.....3 0 2 3 0 0  
Munn 1b.....4 0 2 8 3 0  
Parker rf.....4 1 1 1 0 0  
Ahearn c.....4 0 0 0 0 0  
Green p.....3 1 1 1 3 0

Totals.....32 5 12 27 16 1

LAWRENCE

Thompson lf.....4 1 2 1 0 0  
Luster rf.....4 1 1 0 0 0  
O'Connell 1b.....3 0 2 0 0 0  
Warner 2b.....3 1 0 3 0 0  
Mahoney ss.....3 2 0 3 0 0  
Ostergren 1b.....3 0 0 10 0 0  
Conley 3b.....2 0 1 1 0 0  
Ziesler 2b.....2 0 1 1 0 0  
Shears p.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
Fuller p.....1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals.....39 3 7 24 10 0

Lowell.....0 2 0 0 0 10 0—5  
Lawrence.....3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3

Two-base hits: Warner 2, Moulton. Three-base hit: Green. Stolen bases: Thompson, Ahearn, Sacrifice hits: Barrows, Fuller, Thompson, Dee. Left on bases: Lowell 11, Lawrence 11. First base on errors: Lawrence 1. Bases on balls: Off Ziesler 4, off Green 3, off Fuller 1. Hits: Off Ziesler 2 in 3 innings, off Stearns 3 in 4-2-3 innings, off Green 5 in 3-1-3 innings, off Fuller 4 in 3-1-3 innings. Hit by pitcher: By Green (Flaherty), by Stearns (Flaherty), by Stearns (Flaherty), by Green 1, by Fuller 2. Passed ball: Flaherty. Umpire: Aubrey. Time: 1:55.

LOWELL'S CENTRE-FIELDER LEADS LEAGUE WITH FINE AVERAGE—FARRILL SECOND

Cuke Barrows leads the New England league sticklers with the splendid mark of .345, which is his figure to date. He is followed by Chick Farrell of Portland and Jake Warner of Lawrence. These three are the only .300 hitters in the league. Farrell's mark is .325 and Warner's .315. Warner has taken a big drop. Farrell has made most hits, 102. Barrows and Warner have each made 105. No other player has made 100 hits this season. The figures of the three leaders:

Barrows.....gp ab bh so.....39 204 44 155 .345  
Farrell.....51 334 85 109 .325  
Warner.....52 330 85 105 .315

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## LEE AXWORTHY

Cleveland Four-Year-Old Wins the Trotting Crown

CLEVELAND, Aug. 17.—Thousands of excited racing fans saw a new trotter crowned king at North Randall yesterday afternoon when Lee Axworthy, Cleveland owned, won from Peter Volo in the \$5000 world's champion stake race.

The pacing championship was also decided when William, the stalwart Indiana horse, won from Directum I in two straight heats.

When Peter Volo trotted the first heat in 2:02 and Lee Axworthy came back leading the second in 2:03 1/2, they established world's record for four-year-old trotters.

William, by pacing the first heat of his match race in 1:58 1/2, broke the North Randall track record.

It was an ideal day for racing and a great crowd was out early, although the events did not start until 3 o'clock. Several minor events were run off on the half-mile track during the intermissions.

Directum I was a 100 to 50 favorite over William and Peter Volo was generally picked to defeat the Pastime stables star.

Peter Volo won the first heat of the trotting duel in 2:02, breaking the world's record of 2:03 1/2 for four-year-old trotters. Lee Axworthy took the second heat in 2:03 1/2, making a new record and smashing the world's record for two heats by four-year-old trotters.

Axworthy repeated in the third heat, winning by two lengths in 2:04 1/2, breaking the world's record of three heats. It gave Axworthy the first victory that has ever been recorded over Volo.

William Never in Trouble

William had a comparatively easy time winning. Marvin's great wiggler won the first heat over Directum I by fully two lengths, finishing in 1:58 1/2, which was within half a second of world's record time. This lowered the North Randall pacing record held by Frank Bogash Jr.

The second heat was a repetition of the first, William winning by four lengths in 2:00 flat. Had he been pressed he might have lowered the world's record.

Lee Axworthy, the new champion trotting stallion, is owned by the Pastime stable, Cleveland, driven and trained by W. J. Andrews. William, the pacing king, is owned by A. E. Van Natta of Oterbein, Ind., and was driven by W. W. Marvin of Lafayette, Ind.

In the judges' stand, officiating under the auspices of the Grand Circuit was a noted bunch of horsemen, E. F. Geers, E. A. Tipton, Harry Devereux (started), F. A. Jones and Charles Tanner. The summary:

Trotting Championship, 2 in 3  
Purse \$5000.  
Lee Axworthy, bh, by Axworthy (J. E. Andrews).....2 1 1  
Peter Volo, bh, by Peter (The Great-Nervolo Belle (Murf-)).....1 2 2

Time by quarters: 1st heat.....31 1:01 1/2 1:11 1/2 2:02  
2d heat.....29 1:01 1/2 1:14 1/2 2:03 1/2  
3d heat.....31 1:04 1/2 1:14 1/2 2:04 1/2

Pacing Championship, 2 in 3  
Purse \$5000.  
William, bh, by Abe J.—Lizette C (Marvin).....1 1  
Directum I, bh, by Directum (Kol-ly)—Zetta R (Murf-)).....2 2

Time by quarters: 1st heat.....30 1:00 1/2 1:10 1:58 1/2  
2d heat.....31 1:01 1:10 1:59 1/2

2-1-3 Class, Trotting, 3 in 5  
Purse \$3000.  
Electric McKerron, bh, by John McKerron (Lee).....5 2 1 1 1  
Oro Society, bh, by Oro (Echomore).....5 4 2 2 2

Time by quarters: 1st heat.....31 1:01 1:10 1:58 1/2  
2d heat.....31 1:01 1:10 1:58 1/2  
3d heat.....31 1:01 1:10 1:58 1/2

Time, 2:14 1/2, 2:14 1/2, 2:14 1/2, 2:16 1/2, 2:15

To Heat 2:30 p.m., Trotting  
Vincent Todd, br, (3), by Jim Todd (Andrews).....Time, 33, 1:04 1/2, 1:15, 2:05 1/2

To Heat 2:11, Trotting  
Peter Watts, br, by Peter (The Great (Morrow)).....Time, 33 1/2, 1:15, 1:52 1/2, 2:29 1/2

To Heat 2:24, Trotting  
Just one, bh, by Jaybird (Morrow).....Time, 34 1/2, 1:09, 1:43 1/2, 2:18 1/2

To Heat 2:29, Trotting  
Binod, br, by Binod (Walter).....Time, 33, 1:09 1/2, 1:42, 2:14 1/2

To Heat 2:20, Trotting  
Peter Mount, br, (2), by Peter (The Great (Walter)).....Time, 30 1/2, 1:05 1/2, 1:43, 2:20

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Florence club is without a game for Saturday and would like to arrange with any fast team. Telephone 3934-M.

The Tyler A. C. has organized a baseball team and is out to meet all comers. Answer through this paper.

The Burnside are without a game for Saturday and would like to catch on with some fast amateur aggregation. Answer through this paper.

The Mysteries have an open date next Saturday and would like a game with either the C. M. A. C. Cadets, Lions or Olympics.

The Oak Leaves are out with a challenge to any amateur team in the city. Address all communications to the sporting editor of The Sun.

The Parkviews would like to meet the State infirm team or any other strong nine on Saturday. Answer through The Sun Sporting column.

The Elm will play St. John's team of North Chelmsford on the South common next Saturday afternoon.

The Woodbines won a victory over the C. M. A. C. team last Saturday by a score of 7 to 7. Loose fielding lost for the Pawtucket street boys, and the absence of Third Baseas Hubert and Catcher Sullivan greatly handicapped the team. Poult, the C. M. A. C. twirler fanned 17 batters while he was also touched up for two circuit courts in the last stages of the contest. The visitors played good ball and hit opportunely.

DIAMOND DAZZLES

We can make that first division, already you, Charlie. You can do it! I know you can do it!

Allie Moulton was very much there with the "you can do it" stuff yesterday.

Walter Ahearn thinks Stimpie would make a fine catcher. Stimpie thinks Walter thinks too much. He's content



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to remain in the outfield and watch Walter peg them to second.

Shears looked all out up when he was taken out. His delivery had been rudely carved.

Frank Swayne filled in at third base satisfactorily though we'd sooner see him in his own position.

Walter Ahearn stole second yesterday and got away with it. Walter doesn't steal many nor do many steal on Walter. It's case "equal."

Snubber is still carrying his snubbed finger high in the air which means that he'll not be in the line-up for a few days.

Manager Kelchner has two third basemen on the way, one of whom, White, who has been playing in the South Atlantic league, arrived too late to play. Another is Glennon, a fast semi-professional from Hyannis.

The Lawrence Tribune is yelling for better discipline in the New England league referring particularly to the Pennington case. There should also be much better discipline relative to rowdy managers and players on the field.

When Paddy Green hits the ball he hits it and when he misses it he misses it as strongly as he hits it. Wasn't that a peach of a clout yesterday? Clear out to the centre field fence, and with two on bases. More power to yer, Paddy.

Your Uncle Munn pulled off a one-hand catch of a bunt yesterday that could only be accomplished with a combination of exceptionally long arms, exceptionally long legs and exceptional speed.

One of the gold dust twins who have been doing service as mascots on the players' bench so far forgot himself as to fall asleep while the game was in progress the other day and he was promptly caned by the management. The other little chocolate drop is sunproof and he has been wide-awake at all times. Lowell hasn't lost since he went on the job.

Arthur Irwin, who introduces players to the big league, finding them temporary berths, and his Lewiston team will be the attraction at Spaulding park tomorrow and then we'll have double-header with Portland, the best bet for the pennant on Thursday. Becker, Irwin's latest big league sale will appear in the Lewiston lineup.

The only time that the Lawrence team looks boyish is when that bunch is stacked up against Green. Paddy has their measure from Warner and Bill Luster down the line. He held them run-less of 7 innings on Saturday and for over eight yesterday.

That boy from the brickyards is putting up a great article of ball these days. The Brickyards, by the way, is a section of Lynn where they make bricks and ball-players, and an occasional statesman. Shorty Dee is the gentleman referred to. Stick to it, Shorty, old boy. You can do it!

Manager Kelchner has been unable to secure the services of Dwyer, who played in Saturday's game. Says Manager Kelchner: "I wouldn't swap that infield we had Saturday for any in the league. They could do it."

With two gentlemen like Kelchner and Pearson at the head of opposing teams the fans may ever be assured that those teams are going to play a decent and gentlemanly game at all times. There haven't been any more warlike-colored games in either Lowell or Lawrence this year, than those put up by Lowell vs. Lawrence, and yet there hasn't been a word said or a scene that would offend or disgust the most sensitive critic.

LEO FRANK LYNCHED

Continued

ing and then many shots. He heard the automobiles leave in the direction of Easton after the firing.

All Wires Were Cut

The armed men arrived in the vicinity of the prison farm practically unnoticed and proceeded methodically to its business. All means of wire communication from the institution to Milledgeville, three miles away, were destroyed and all wires, except one telephone line from Milledgeville, also were cut.

Warden Made Prisoner

Five men went to the house of the warden, J. T. Smith, awakened him and made him prisoner. At the same time a small squad of men went to the home of J. M. Burke, superintendent of the farm. Burke was forced to go with them to the gate nearest the dormitory wherein it was believed Frank was kept. The two guards on duty there were ordered, while guns were leveled upon them, to open the gates.

The party then rushed in, quickly got Frank and hurried him to one of the warden's automobiles. He was forced down into the car while a member of the party is said to have discharged a rope in front of him.

Without delay those who had been guarding Warden Smith left him and joined the party at the gate. The automobile then started off swiftly in a northerly direction.

Scribe First to Report

With only a limited number of guards at the prison and wire communication with Milledgeville interrupted, immediate pursuit was impossible. Some time elapsed before word could be brought here and officers started in the direction taken by the party.

None of these officers reported for several hours after they left. The first report of the route taken came from

Newark	60	47	551	513
Kansas City	60	45	553	515
Pittsburgh	58	47	552	512
St. Louis	57	51	525	505
Brooklyn	50	61	430	535
Buffalo	50	63	412	517
Baltimore	38	70	352	533
Indianapolis, last year.				
New England	1915	1914		
Portland	59	35	623	551
Worcester	51	37	593	574
Detroit	49	40	500	563
Lynn	49	46	516	510
Lowell	35	49	427	423
Manchester	40	52	435	426
Lewiston	38	50	432	422
Fitchburg	36	56	391	456

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American  
Boston, 1; Washington, 0.  
Detroit, 6; Cleveland, 2 (first game).  
Detroit, 3; Cleveland, 1 (second game).  
Chicago, 8; St. Louis, 4 (first game).  
Chicago, 5; St. Louis, 1 (second game).  
Philadelphia, 2; New York, 0.

National  
Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 0.  
New York, 2; Brooklyn 1 (10 innings).  
Pittsburgh, 5; Cincinnati, 4.

Federal  
Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh 1.  
Chicago, 6; Baltimore, 4.  
Kansas City, 5; Buffalo, 0.

New England  
Lynn, 5; Lewiston 4 (first game, 10 innings).  
Lewiston, 2; Lewiston 1 (second game).  
Lowell, 5; Lawrence 3.  
Fitchburg, 3; Portland, 8.  
Worcester-Manchester-Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

New England League  
Lewiston at Lowell.  
Lawrence at Fitchburg (2 games).  
Lynn at Manchester.  
Portland at Worcester.

American League  
Boston at Chicago.  
New York at St. Louis.  
Philadelphia at Detroit.  
Washington at Cleveland.

National League  
St. Louis at Boston.  
Chicago at New York.  
Chicago at Brooklyn.  
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

Federal League  
St. Louis at Newark.  
Chicago at Baltimore.  
Kansas City at Buffalo.  
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.

LEO FRANK LYNCHED

Continued

ing and then many shots. He heard the automobiles leave in the direction of Easton after the firing.

All Wires Were Cut

The armed men arrived in the vicinity of the prison farm practically unnoticed and proceeded methodically to its business. All means of wire communication from the institution to Milledgeville, three miles away, were destroyed and all wires, except one telephone line from Milledgeville, also were cut.

Warden Made Prisoner

Five men went to the house of the warden, J. T. Smith, awakened him and made him prisoner. At the same time a small squad of men went to the home of J. M. Burke, superintendent of the farm. Burke was forced to go with them to the gate nearest the dormitory wherein it was believed Frank was kept. The two guards on duty there were ordered, while guns were leveled upon them, to open the gates.

The party then rushed in, quickly got Frank and hurried him to one of the warden's automobiles. He was forced down into the car while a member of the party is said to have discharged a rope in front of him.

Without delay those who had been guarding Warden Smith left him and joined the party at the gate. The automobile then started off swiftly in a northerly direction.

Scribe First to Report

With only a limited number of guards at the prison and wire communication with Milledgeville interrupted, immediate pursuit was impossible. Some time elapsed before word could be brought here and officers started in the direction taken by the party.

None of these officers reported for several hours after they left. The first report of the route taken came from

newspapermen who left Macon at about the same time the others got started from Milledgeville. Frank was sufficiently recovered from the wound in his throat, inflicted by another prisoner a month ago, to leave the prison hospital Sunday and take his place in the sleeping quarters with the other prisoners.

Mrs. Frank, who had been almost constantly with her husband since the threshold of the prison, was informed of last night's developments shortly after they occurred. She was reported to have maintained her composure and declined to comment.

Superintendent Talks

"I was called to the door just as I was preparing to retire," said Captain J. M. Burke, superintendent of the prison farm today. "When I passed the threshold two strong men grabbed me and snapped handcuffs on my wrists. Four others stood guard over me, two with shotguns and two with heavy pistols. I remonstrated and they declared it was no use for me to squirm as they had come for Leo Frank and were going to get him."

"I told them that Frank was not at my house and they said they knew that, but that they were going to take me where they knew Frank was quartered. I was marched up to the penitentiary building by a guard which was doubled as we proceeded. When we reached the building a demand was made that the gate be opened and when the trusty prisoner awaited official orders, one of the men began unfastening the wires and informed the prisoners that if he did not open it would be held as soon as an entrance was effected."

Frank Dragged by Hair

The gate was then unlocked and 3. Hester, a night guard, came forward, but he was immediately covered and ordered to throw up his hands. He went up the steps I was halted a little while a dozen men rushed by me and made a dash for Frank's room. One of the prisoners who witnessed this scene declared that four men took Frank by his arms and legs, while a fifth grabbed him by the hair and he was dragged out and dumped down the stone steps. While I looked on Frank did not utter a word, but apparently was suffering intensely and groaned from pain inflicted in handling him in his wounded condition. The affair was all over within five minutes, it seemed to me.

Handcuffed and Guarded

"During the entire time I was handcuffed and under guard. When the crowd brought Frank down and started off, I asked a fellow who had snapped the handcuffs to unlock them but he laughed and said I would accompany them they would take off the irons."



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## WHAT IS CIVIC SPIRIT?

Almost invariably a visitor to a city which has made a reputation for progressiveness or municipal advancement will say on his return to his home town: "I like the spirit of the place," or "there is a great public spirit in that city." Inversely, one who returns from a visit to a backward town or city will say, "there is something wrong with the spirit of the city." This attitude of attributing progressiveness or backwardness to public spirit or the lack thereof shows that the cultivation of a good civic spirit should be one of the foremost aims of every live municipality.

Civic spirit does not spring into being automatically. It is something that grows from a variety of influences, sometimes conscious and sometimes indirect, but always tending to a common end. It is the fruit of sincerity, earnestness and tireless effort. It cannot exist without genuine pride of the people in the city which they call home. It cannot exist without full cooperation between officials and the general public. It exists at its best in a city where the people demand the best in political and business life and are determined to get the best. Where there is a good healthy public spirit, there is growth in every sense; where there is no public spirit or only a half-hearted spirit, there is stagnation and lack of progress.

Civic spirit and selfishness on a large scale cannot get on together, for selfishness is poison to a healthy public attitude. Years ago when our great cities of this section were founded many of the leaders and influential men had no desire except to advance their private ends. They cared little whether the city was beautiful or ugly; they paid but slight attention to public affairs except when by so doing they could get a hold on the city for their own aggrandizement, and they took only a superficial part in bettering living and working conditions. This spirit of private selfishness has come down to us in some New England cities of today, but we do not find it in the great cities of the west that have grown up in recent years.

The progressive men of business in all cities now realize that by unselfishly cooperating with all who would work for the common good, they will advance their city and in time reap the reward, even in dollars and cents. In cities where there is a live desire for genuine progress, we find groups of leading men in all business and professional pursuits banded together to achieve certain desirable ends. It is well to have competition and even conservatism in some lines, but where we find the officials of all the great industries keeping away from public and civic affairs, something is radically wrong.

A city that cultivates a good public spirit soon reaps a liberal harvest. The people see that if the city is to advance it must have competent management and initiative. They select men for the public offices on business rather than on personal grounds, and they see to it that the public funds are spent wisely. They favor neither extravagance nor false economy, realizing that no city can keep up for the times unless it spends money freely, getting a dollar's worth in return for every dollar spent. The city that has a good public spirit attracts favorable attention from all sides. It is quoted as representing the best in municipal government and business advancement, and it does not hang on to outworn traditions but is always ready to adopt anything new that is an improvement over the old.

How is the Lowell public spirit? This can be determined by applying a few tests. Are our affairs conducted in a businesslike manner, and are our officials men of sincerity, ability and disinterestedness? Are our policies based on political grounds or on the real needs of the public? Do our people really want good, economical and progressive government? Are we up-to-date in all our municipal departments, and do we get a dollar's worth for every dollar spent? Finally, are our leading men of business interested in public affairs, and is there anything like a concerted effort for desirable civic management and real civic progress? On the answer to these questions depends the verdict as to whether Lowell has a genuinely progressive public spirit.

## PAWTUCKETVILLE PROTEST

His Honor, the mayor, and some of the sanguine commissioners who did not anticipate any objection to the location of a hospital for contagious diseases in Pawtucketville were shown unmistakably last Saturday that Pawtucketville is not in love with the proposed institution. Whether there would be any danger of infection or depreciation of property or blocking of progress in this thriving section or not, the people there are practically unanimous in their opposition, and there is nothing hysterical or transitory in their indignation, which is deep and real.

The Sun has shown in these columns that such opposition is not peculiar to Pawtucketville or to Lowell generally, but has arisen in any city of Massachusetts where it was proposed to build an isolation hospital in a pop-

ulous section. Consequently, if the commissioners would escape concerted opposition that would leave a bad legacy for years, they must select a site free from the objections that are so evident in the Pawtucketville election. In cities where the hospital for contagious diseases has proved most successful in every sense, it has been built either on the land adjacent to the city farm, on land already owned by the city elsewhere, or on the verge of the city limits quite a distance from any residential district. Such is the case in Springfield, Lynn, Lawrence, Fall River and elsewhere.

It is timely and not at all unreasonable to ask now whether the city authorities did wisely, even in a political sense, by rescinding the action of the previous administration, which would have given us a contagious hospital a long time ago. What has been gained by the delay? After dallying over sites here and there, our wise administrators came back to the site originally favored and rejected after strong opposition. We now know that the hospital must be erected and very soon into the bargain, and when the bills are paid, we shall see if the present body has improved on the plans of the last administration. The people of Pawtucketville are watching the situation with interest and the rest of the city watches with great curiosity and a little amused skepticism.

## STOP MOB FRENZY

If the war of the old world is to be fought in miniature on this side by mobs from the various nationalities, there will be a hot old time in many an American city, our own included. It was feared by many at the outset that there would be rival demonstrations and certain outbreaks of animosity, but fortunately the rank and file showed remarkable sense and coolness, and there has been practically no trouble. Natives of England, Germany, France, Austria, Russia and Turkey have worked side by side or stood side by side at the bulletins recounting the victories or defeats of their respective nations, but America has been big enough to absorb them all mentally as well as physically.

Exceptions to this spirit of sanity and American patriotism in its best sense are to be expected. Such an exception was seen in Boston last Sunday when Italian reservists and their friends got mixed up with some officers from one of the interned German ships. A row started and grew more and more menacing and the wonder is that there were not many deaths. It would appear from the newspaper accounts that the mob spirit reached grave bounds, and it is an unfortunate commentary that most of those injured by stones, revolvers or knives are officers of the law. When a mob grows lawless and bloodthirsty, anything that stands for order is regarded with enmity. The demonstration in Boston was most regrettable and now that the heat of passion is passed, none will regret it more keenly than the representatives of the races involved.

While men of all nationalities feel the thrill of national aspirations so keenly, there is danger of excess, and steps should be taken to preserve a real neutrality. At such events as the sailing of reservists or racial demonstrations of any kind, racial nationalities should be kept away, and all races must be shown unmistakably that in America, order and law are paramount and will be maintained at any cost. Were we to permit any racial group or groups to run riot, there would be a sorry future for this country which is made up of representatives of all the races at war and many more. We cannot tolerate the dangerous mob frenzy that turns wise men into maniacs for the time being.

## SALE OF MUNITIONS

The text of the note which this country sent to the Austro-Hungarian government, published yesterday, sets forth plainly the American attitude in terms that can be understood by all and that will stand out as a declaration of principle, despite the strong opposition to the exportation of arms and ammunition in some circles of this country. Austria is told in friendly but firm language that this country will not stop the exportation of arms because to do so would be unneutral, would be against international law, sound national policy and precedent. Moreover, our administration points out to the belligerent in question that during the Boer war when the Boers could not get arms and ammunition owing to England's control of the seas, Germany and Austria sold arms to Great Britain, and explains that an embargo would make it hard for this country to get such supplies, should we be attacked by an outside power. It is also asserted that should each nation be obliged to make its own arms and ammunition, all nations would be converted into an armed camp, making it more difficult for mankind to surmount militarism by universal peace. The note is so strong and forceful as to make it certain that the many agitators for the stopping of exports of war munitions have made no great impression on Washington. Though a desire for private gain may be behind most of the exporting of war munitions, the government has shown that common-sense and fair play are

also behind it. Unless there is some unforeseen change in the situation, this country will go on exporting arms and ammunition until the end of the war, and it clearly has the right to do so without discrimination against any of the belligerents.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Please Name 'Em  
The Caesar of Industry, as men-  
tioning as the Kaiser of politics.—Lowell  
Journal.

## We're With You

Manchester wants clean streets and  
healthful conditions.—Manchester Leader.

## Same as Now

Meanwhile the war in Europe may  
last a year or more. In that time,  
what is to be done in this country?—  
Boston Advertiser.

## Not So Hard, Please

Carranza defies us to do our worst.  
If we are not mistaken we did that  
the last time we went to Vera Cruz.—  
Springfield Union.

## Quite a Change

A while ago, the car was going to  
the front. Now the front seems to be  
coming to him.—Cleveland Leader.

## Pikers, in Fact

The Americans whom Uncle Sam  
helped back from Europe a year ago  
and can pay, but won't, are a skindint  
and shameless lot.—Woonsocket Call.

## No One Here

Something like a summer day. Who's  
kicking?—Newburyport Herald.

## The Men for It?

President Wilson and Secretary  
Daniels are said to be spending much  
of their time at present discussing  
plans for a big navy.—Brooklyn Times.

## Cannon Ball

Von Hindenburg to the bat in what  
may prove the last innings for Rus-  
sia in the game at Kovno.—Worcester  
Post.

## We Should Worry

Those in the wheat pit have had a  
tumble. It was over thus.—Newport  
News.

## Naughty Old Canal

Isn't the Panama canal old enough  
to stop sliding?—Salem News.

## OUTINGS FOR THIS WEEK

MANY ARE PLANNED FOR BEACH  
AND GROVE—WHERE THEY WILL  
GO

The children of the French orphan-  
age are enjoying their annual out-  
ing in Tewksbury today, two special  
cars having been chartered for the oc-  
casion. On Wednesday, the boys from  
the Essex country training school will  
hold an outing at Mountain Rock, and  
on Thursday two special cars  
will convey the members of the  
Holy Rosary sodality of the Sac-  
red Heart church to Revere, where  
they will hold their annual out-  
ing. Employees of the Lawrence hos-  
pital, under the supervision of Hector Mc-  
Donald will enjoy Friday at Revere,  
and on Saturday outings will be held  
by employees of the Boot mills and  
Birelow-Hartford and Helene Elec-  
tric companies. Miss W. Connors is  
head of the committee in charge of the  
outing to be held by the Bigelow  
Hartford employees and R. McInnis  
is looking after the outing arrange-  
ments for the Boot mill employees. It  
is also expected that close to 2000 rat-  
tles workers from Wakefield will hold  
their annual outing at Lakeview on  
the same day. John McInnis is in  
charge of the children of Lowell will be held  
at Mountain Rock on Wednesday, and  
it is expected that a great crowd will  
attend.

If you want help at home or in your  
business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## SLEEPYTIME TALES

### HOW RALPH GOT HIS BICYCLE

Once upon a time Ralph was walking  
down the main street of the town in  
which he lived, with his hands deep in  
his pockets and his mind on how he  
could earn money enough this vacation  
to buy a bicycle. He knew his father  
could not afford to get it for him this  
year for he had heard him say the war  
had hurt his business very much.

As Ralph passed the corner he saw  
a group of men standing and talking  
to the wealthy Italian contractor of the  
town and was just in time to hear him  
say: "I wish I could get hold of a  
bright boy to act as water boy for my  
gang of men." "What if I do?" asked  
Ralph, stepping up to him. "I would  
like to earn some money for a bicycle  
this vacation and will be glad to get  
the job if my father will let me take it."

The contractor looked at him with a  
smile and said: "Yes, I guess you'll  
do, but it is hard work, remember.  
Come to Grand street tomorrow morn-  
ing. Ralph ran home to ask his par-  
ents and as they were willing, he went  
to work the next morning. For several  
weeks Ralph carried a water pail

## EARWIG PEST NOT HERE

MOSQUITOES AND MIDGES SWARM-  
ING IN SWAMPY SOIL—NEWPORT  
INVADED

Asked today if the earwig pest had  
struck Lowell, Supt. Kernan of the  
park department said, "No, I have not  
heard of any such pest in this locality  
and I hope we shall remain free from  
it as we have pests enough to contend  
with."

"To what do you attribute the preva-  
lence of mosquitoes and midges?"  
"Undoubtedly the very wet weather  
and the swampy condition of the soil  
in many places have caused the in-  
crease in the mosquito and midge pests.  
Only dry and warm weather or a  
change to cold weather will mitigate  
these pests."

Last night was perhaps the worst of  
the summer for mosquitoes. They  
braved citronella, burning joss sticks  
and every other device to overcome  
their annoyance, with the exception of  
the closely-screened door or piazza.  
That seemed to be the only refuge  
from the ravenous insects as they  
preyed upon their victims last night.  
Strange to say, too, they were ap-  
parently armed with longer and strong-  
er prongs than ever before and their  
bite was peculiarly severe.

The swarm of midges that fills the  
air in some places is also very annoy-  
ing. Various remedies are suggested  
for keeping them away, but like the  
mosquitoes, they seem to disregard all  
schemes adopted to scare them off or  
even kill them.

Neither the mosquito nor the  
midge pest is half so bad as the earwig  
pest that has invaded Newport, R. I.,  
to an extent that has made some of  
the finest houses almost uninhabitable.  
The earwig has almost as many feet  
and feelers as the centipede and looks  
almost as ferocious. It is dreaded in  
Europe almost as much as a rattlesnake  
in this country because of the preva-  
lence of a belief that the insect makes  
a special effort to get into the ears  
of human beings while asleep. What  
ground there may be for this belief  
is uncertain. We have never heard of  
an earwig being found in the ear, al-  
though if it should enter, it would  
certainly cause a mental disturbance  
of the worst kind.

Why the earwig should make its  
debut among the social 400 at New-  
port is a mystery as in the old coun-  
try the insect has been content with  
the humblest habitats, generally  
emanating from old rubbish. But the  
homes of the millionaires at Newport  
seem to be the chosen abode of the  
pest in this country.

At dinner in that famous resort the  
earwigs crawl upon the ladies' décolleté  
gowns. They jump down inside the  
collars of the gentlemen. They land in  
the soup about to be served at table.  
They actually break up bridge parties.  
In fact, the social life of Newport has  
become one long hunt for the ear-  
wigs.

The Newport earwig is dormant dur-  
ing the day, and can be knocked off  
its perch. But at night he is activity  
himself. He crawls, runs and flies  
everywhere. Every time the Tailors  
have guests at their beautiful mansion,  
the furniture has to be shaken out, the  
veranda swept over and over, the cor-  
ners cleaned, the windows sprayed, the  
doors, cracks and crevices examined.  
Then, despite the guards posted by  
Mr. Tailor, they invade his company,  
and frequently during bridge, they so  
crawl over the tables and cards that  
the game must be given up.

Experts Frost and Jones, who have  
been at Newport for the government,  
have perfected secret plans which, they  
say, will rid Newport of the pests. In  
about two weeks the earwigs will hi-  
bernate until next year, and the ex-  
perts hope that they won't come again  
next year.

The people of Lowell who complain  
of mosquitoes and midges may find  
some consolation in the fact that thus  
far the earwig has not made its ap-  
pearance in these parts.

## BOSTON TAX RATE \$18

INCREASE OF 50 CENTS OVER LAST  
YEAR'S RATE—HIGHEST IN HIS-  
TORY OF HUB

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—A tax rate of  
\$18, which is an increase of 50 cents  
over last year's rate, was announced  
last evening by Mayor Curley.

Many thought that the report from  
the assessing department, which are  
used in establishing the tax rate each  
year, would make necessary a tax rate  
of \$18.10, and it was not until the past  
few days that the \$18 rate began to  
appear as an assured possibility.

**Highest Tax in History**  
The present tax rate is the highest  
in the history of the city, but is lower  
than any city of more than 50,000 in-  
habitants in Massachusetts with ref-  
erence to this feature the mayor said  
in his statement issued last evening.

"While it is pleasing to know that  
Boston's rate is lower than that of any  
city of 50,000 inhabitants in Mas-  
sachusetts through the practice of  
reasonable economies in the state,  
county and school departments it  
should be possible to lessen rather  
than increase the burden next year."

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**KEITH'S THEATRE**  
Frank L. Packard's widely read  
novel, "Greater Love Hath No Man," pic-  
turalized by the Popular Plays and  
Players Co., and released through the  
Metro Pictures corporation, is the  
leader in series of high-class picture  
plays being given at Keith's for the  
first three days this week. Emmett  
Corrigan, the virile American actor,  
commands the leading role in this  
production and his work is that of a  
finished picture star. Assisting him  
are some of the best motion picture  
actors and actresses on the stage.

The story is wonderfully interesting  
and told in a manner that reflects the  
artistic finish that has invariably char-  
acterized Metro releases. Doctor Mer-  
ton is killed by his son Harold. The  
latter persuades Varge, the adopted  
son, to assume the blame and for his  
father's sake, to take the place of the  
father. Varge would be two-fold, he consents and  
is convicted and sentenced to life im-  
prisonment.

During his term in jail an attempt is  
made by a number of the convicts to  
kill the guard and make their escape,  
but Varge, rushing to the aid of the  
guard and assisting materially in putting  
down the revolt. For this he is made a  
trustee and assigned to the work of  
gardener. A fire in the warden's home  
threatens the life of his daughter and  
at great risk to himself, he rescues the  
young woman. Up to this time Varge  
has content to endure his punishment,  
but with the presence of the girl, love  
enters his cell and he then realizes  
that there may be, after all, something  
to live for. Afraid of his love he makes  
his escape, but fate brings the couple  
together later in a small fishing town  
where Varge, under the name of John  
Harold, seeks to win the girl's affec-  
tion. He succeeds in this, but she  
discovers his guilt and meets his  
death in trying to escape from the  
officers. The closing scenes finds Varge  
and the girl happily united. Other  
features are on the bill.

## LAKEVIEW PARK

Athletic men and women always  
challenge the admiration of the world  
and from the time of the Roman gladi-  
ator until the present day exhibitions  
of physical strength have had their  
place in entertaining and amusing the  
public. This week at Lakeview the  
management has secured as an added  
attraction West and Tate, who come  
direct from the English music halls  
and are billed as "The Gladiator and  
the Athletic Girl." West and Tate ex-  
cell in feats of strength and perform  
stunts in this line that are seemingly  
impossible. They appear on the out-  
door stage every afternoon at 4 p. m.  
and every evening at 8:15. In the  
theatre there will be the usual fine  
moving picture program. The picture

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lake park theatre this week. Five  
big banner acts opened yesterday  
and will continue with daily matinees  
and evening performances all week long.

Canobie lake park is particularly ac-  
tive this season, all of the park at-  
tractions having special days and nights  
when added attractions are offered.  
The dance hall has a special night this  
week on Wednesday evening when  
there will be offered the Little quartet.  
Special lessons in swimming are offered  
at the big, cool swimming pool, where  
expert water attendants are always on  
hand to teach beginners the art of  
swimming, particularly valuable knowl-  
edge for all at this time when one  
reads of so many drownings. Special  
dinners at the dining room; match  
games at the bowling alleys.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Elsie Janis, the strenuous comedi-  
enne star of the motion picture stage,  
will again be seen in the five act Pa-  
ramount picture, "Nearly a Lady." The  
patrons of this theatre who saw her  
yesterday were quite captivated with  
her interpretation of a ranch girl in  
wild and woolly Montana. In this role  
which affords an opportunity for a  
wide display of originality, Miss Janis  
is well suited. She performs the most  
startling pranks and experiences most  
daring escapades. The ninth episode  
of "Who Pays?" entitled, "For the  
Commonwealth" is a gripping story  
which every one should see. Burns and  
Stoll, the comedians were seen in there  
comedy success, "A Quit Game." The  
interesting feature was also shown.  
These exceptionally fine pictures will  
continue to be shown today and to-  
morrow.

## KILLS SON; CUTS THROAT

### RHODE ISLAND FARMER INCENSED

IN ARGUMENT OVER PROPER  
WAY TO FIEED A HORSE

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 17.—In a  
quarrel over the proper way to feed a  
horse, Arthur Johnson, a farmer,  
killed his son, John A., at Gloucester  
yesterday, and then cut his own  
throat. The elder Johnson is at the  
Rhode Island hospital in a critical con-  
dition.

### BOOKER WASHINGTON ON HAITI

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 17.—"It is my  
opinion that the time has come for the  
United States to assume a protectorate  
over the republic of Haiti, the same as  
over San Domingo," said Booker T.  
Washington here yesterday.

### TEWKSBURY

The regular meeting of Tewksbury  
grange will be held this evening in the  
Cottrell village. This will be "Mas-  
churista Night," and the subjects to be  
discussed will be "Improvements in  
Business During the Past 25 Years";  
"Improvements in Agriculture in Our  
Town During the Same Period," and  
other matters of importance.

Miss E. B. Flemings has returned  
from a pleasant trip to California.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Patton are en-  
joying an automobile trip through the  
White mountains.

Robert Mulino is seriously ill at his  
home in Whipple street.  
Mrs. Clarence Foster has as her guest  
Miss Goldie Lewis of Somerville.  
H. M. Billings has gone to Chicago  
for two weeks.

## Milady's Boudoir

### Housework as a Revivifier

Among the many duties of the house-  
wife who does her own work, none of  
them equals sweeping as an exercise  
and a general revitalizer of the whole  
body. To gain the most benefit from  
this exercise, the shoulders should be  
well thrown back and the hands should  
wrap the broom firmly. With each  
stroke the whole body should sway,  
which movement will add grace to the  
figure. In fact, in performing house-  
work, one can direct their efforts  
that the labor becomes a body build-  
ing and besides one has the satisfaction  
of knowing that the home is spick and  
span.

It is quite true that tight lacing of  
the waist is responsible for many cases  
of indigestion. The necessity for  
tight lacing is an ill proportioned body,  
usually due to neglect or overindul-  
gence. When the stomach rebels at being  
confined when performing its labor,  
and announces its displeasure by not  
taking proper care of the food taken,  
which results in discomfort, and even-  
tually indigestion.

Housework may be utilized to  
such a degree that tight lacing will be  
unnecessary. For instance, how often  
each day does the housewife find it  
necessary to pick up articles from the  
floor? If, instead of lowering the  
body, as must be done by squat-  
ting, she must lean forward from the  
waist and at the same time keep the  
knees from bending, the movement  
would act directly on the muscles at  
the waist and hips.  
The value of housework as a form  
healthifier and a preserver of health  
should not be underestimated.

## GOVERNORS ARE INVITED

SECRETARY MURPHY IS TRYING  
TO HAVE THEM VISIT LOWELL  
AFTER BOSTON

Secretary Murphy of the board of  
trade is trying hard to have the gov-  
ernors visit Lowell after their visit to  
Boston. He will know in a day or two  
whether they will come here.

## HEAT KILLS ONE IN HUB

### FIVE OTHERS STRICKEN—COOL

WINDS HEADED THIS WAY FROM  
AROUND THE GREAT LAKES

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—One death and  
six prostrations were recorded in Bos-  
ton and its suburbs yesterday over-  
the heat, which, after four days of  
terrible intensity, is likely to abate to-  
day, according to the forecast of the  
weather bureau. It is said there are  
cool winds headed this way from  
around the Great Lakes and that they  
will reach here tomorrow.

The cool winds mentioned sent the  
thermometer down to 43 degrees in  
that district yesterday. The official  
forecast for today is "fair and cooler  
with moderate west and north winds."  
On Wednesday showers are promised.  
In this city yesterday the highest  
point reached by the mercury was 89  
degrees at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.  
This point made it the second hottest  
day of the season. At midnight the  
official reading was 75 degrees.

The heat death was that of Frank  
Asbury, 45, single, of 55 West Spring-  
field street, South End, who was over-  
come while seated on the doorstep of  
his home last night and collapsed. He  
died before the automobile patrol of  
the East Dedham street station could  
reach the city hospital. His death is as-  
cribed to heart disease superinduced  
by the heat.

## THREE CHILDREN LOST

DROWNED YESTERDAY—TWO OTH-  
ERS RESCUED—BABY FELL INTO  
UNUSED WELL

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—A toll of young  
lives was taken in a series of local  
drowning accidents yesterday and sev-  
eral more casualties were averted by  
heroic rescues. Three boys, the young-  
est 3 years old and the oldest 12, met  
death in the water.

Edward L. Freniere, 12, of Malden,  
was drowned at City Point.  
Joseph Beatty, 6, of South Boston,  
was lost under the Dover street  
bridge.

Three-year-old Francis L. South-  
erland, Jr., was drowned in an unused  
well in Walpole.

Helen Atkins, 11,



# Stock Market Closing Prices, Aug. 16

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sugar	61 1/2	61	61
Am Can	60 1/2	60	60 1/2
Am Can prd	107 1/2	107	107 1/2
Am Cn	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Am Cot Oil	52 1/2	52	52 1/2
Am Locomo	58 1/2	58	58 1/2
Am Locomo pr	99	98 1/2	99
Am Smelt	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Am Sugar Ref	109 1/2	109	109 1/2
Am Soda	61 1/2	61	61 1/2
Atchafalaya	103 1/2	103	103 1/2
Baldwin	82 1/2	82	82 1/2
Balt & Ohio	82 1/2	82	82 1/2
Balt & Ohio pr	70 1/2	70	70 1/2
Br Rpt Tran	56 1/2	56	56 1/2
Canadian Pac	154 1/2	154	154 1/2
Cent Al	43 1/2	43	43 1/2
Ches & Ohio	46 1/2	46	46 1/2
Chl & Gt W	12 1/2	12	12 1/2
Col Fuel	47 1/2	47	47 1/2
Conestoga	12 1/2	12	12 1/2
Crucible Steel	72 1/2	72	72 1/2
Del & Hud	142	140	142
Dis Secur Co	25 1/2	25	25 1/2
Genl Cas	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
Genl El	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
Gen El pr	175 1/2	175	175 1/2
Gt North pr	115 1/2	115	115 1/2
Illinois Cen	102 1/2	102	102 1/2
Int Met Com	19 1/2	19	19 1/2
Int Met Com pr	73 1/2	73	73 1/2
Int Paper	10 1/2	10	10 1/2
Int Paper pr	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Kan City So	28 1/2	28	28 1/2
Kan & Texas	8 1/2	8	8 1/2
Lehigh Valley	142 1/2	142	142 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	43 1/2	43	43 1/2
Missouri Pac	9 1/2	9	9 1/2
Nat Lead	66 1/2	66	66 1/2
Nat Lead pr	115 1/2	115	115 1/2
N Y Central	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
Nor & West	105 1/2	105	105 1/2
No Am Co	71 1/2	71	71 1/2
North Pac	106 1/2	106	106 1/2
Ont & West	26 1/2	26	26 1/2
Pennsylvania	109 1/2	109	109 1/2
Pressed Steel	67 1/2	67	67 1/2
Pullman	104 1/2	104	104 1/2
Ry St & Co	41 1/2	41	41 1/2
Reading	145 1/2	145	145 1/2
Rep Iron & S	45 1/2	45	45 1/2
Rock Is S	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
St Paul	53 1/2	53	53 1/2
So Pacific	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
Southern Ry	14 1/2	14	14 1/2
Southern Ry pr	120 1/2	120	120 1/2
Tenn Copper	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Union Pac	113 1/2	113	113 1/2
Union Pac pr	132 1/2	132	132 1/2
U S Steel	112 1/2	112	112 1/2
U S Steel pr	112 1/2	112	112 1/2
Utah Copper	67 1/2	67	67 1/2
Western Union	71 1/2	71	71 1/2
Wiscon Cen	37 1/2	37	37 1/2

## A NEW HIGH RECORD

STUDEBAKER SOLD AT ADVANCE

OF 10 POINTS—ACTIVE TRADING

IN WAR AND MOTOR SHARES

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Active trading in war and motor shares was resumed at the opening of today's market with a new high record for Studebaker, which sold at an advance of almost 10 points in the first 15 minutes.

American Can, with an initial sale of 3000 shares came up to 61 1/2, within a small fraction of its best, while Crucible Steel, Westinghouse, Willys-Overland, Maxwell Motors and some less prominent stocks rose 1 to 4 points.

Later the more seasoned issues began to move forward, U. S. Steel rising over a point, railroads were mainly heavy as a result of their weakness in London.

The speculative character of the market was indicated from the fact that American Can, which advanced almost five points to a new high record, together with Studebaker, Goodrich and Tennessee Copper, made up a very large part of the early trading. United States Steel was the actual leader, however, large blocks being exchanged at as high as 74 1/2, a gain of 2 1/2 from Saturday's close.

Other strong specialties included Bethlehem Steel, Virginia Coal, Sears-Roebuck and a score of miscellaneous issues.

Railroad shares continued their irregular course, the further weakness in foreign exchange being a restraining influence.

Bonds were irregular.

Equipment shares and the minor steel stocks were the leaders of the early afternoon advance. Steel was half below and the inquiry for railroad shares slackened. Union Pacific reacted a point to 131 1/2.

Steel and specialties were in further demand in the later dealings and railroads also showed a better tendency.

The closing was strong.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—Local stocks opened quietly today and soon advanced on a fair demand. American Zinc gained 2 1/2 to 64 1/2 before noon while copper shares were also higher.

BOSTON MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Boston & Albany	18 1/2	18	18 1/2
Bos & Maine	13 1/2	13	13 1/2

## RAILROADS

MINING

Adventure

Alaska

American Zinc

Ariz Con

Butte Superior

Cal &amp; Ariz

Cal &amp; Hela

Chino

Copper Range

Dak West

E. Butte

Franklin

Granby

Hess Canaan

Indiana

Isle Royale

Kerr Lake

Luko

Maine

Mayflower

Miami

Mohawk

North Butte

Old Colony

Ray Con

Superior

Tennessee Copper

Tamarack

U S Smelting

U S Smelting pr

Utah Cons

Wolverine

## TELEPHONE

Am Tel &amp; Tel

New Eng Tel

MISCELLANEOUS

Am Ag Chem Com

Am Pneu pr

Am Woolen

Island Creek Coal

Maine Elec

Maine Gas

Pond Creek

United Fruit

United Sh M

United Sh M pr

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Money market

opened steady. October 3 1/2; December

9 1/2; January 9 7/8; March 10 1/8; May

10 1/2.

Cotton futures closed steady. Octo-

ber 9 3/8; December 9 5/8; January 9 1/8;

March 9 1/8; May 10 1/8. Spot quiet;

middling 9 1/8.

## EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Exchanges

\$28,499,465; balances \$28,763,614.

From Yesterday's Late Edition

## OUR CONDUCTORS HONEST

Another local conductor has demon-

strated his honesty, but the person

who showed his gratified by not even

paying for the little "found ad," or

advancing the customary "thank you."

The conductor, Dan O'Hara, of upper

Gorham street picked up a pocketbook

the other day containing a little over

\$7. He immediately came to The Sun

office and turned it over to the editor,

advising the owner of the purse to call

at the Bay State Street railway office.

After one edition of the paper appeared

a young man inquired at the office and

he was informed that Mr. O'Hara had

the pocketbook. He boarded Conduc-

tor O'Hara's car and asked if he had

found a pocketbook. The latter re-

plied in the affirmative and he learned

that the pocketbook was the property

of the young man's mother. The youth

after identifying the purse took a seat

in the car and rode a considerable

distance. In conversation the finder

said that the ad he inserted was not

paid for and that it was customary

for the owner to pay for the ad. The

young man made no reply but when

Mr. O'Hara was up near the front of

the car, the young man hopped off.

As a further demonstration of his

honesty Mr. O'Hara came to the Sun

office and paid for the little ad. He

should have deducted the amount from

the money found.

DEATHS

BUTMAN.—Died Aug. 14th, Josiah M.

Butman, aged 80 years. He was born

4 days, at his summer home at The

Weirs, N. H. Funeral services will be

held at his residence, 11 Coral street,

this day, Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 17,

at 2 o'clock. Both the funeral service

and the burial will be private. The

funeral arrangements are in charge of

Undertaker George W. Healey.

CITY HALL NOTICES

What is the delay in the Porter

street extension? This question is be-

ing asked day after day and the street

department has been "getting busy" in

Porter street day after day, but there's

nothing doing yet. The money for the

extension was appropriated long ago

and people living in that vicinity think

it's about time that something was

being done.

The survey of the land in connection

with the new high school was begun

today and it is expected that it will

require two weeks or more to com-

plete it.

The paving job in Hale street has

been completed and it was stated to-

day that the street railway company

had received the special rails to be

used in Rogers street which means

that the work in Rogers street will

go merrily along.

CLAN NA GAEL OUTING

The local branch of the Clan Na

Gael held an outing at Sullivan's grove

yesterday afternoon. Dinner was

served and there were refreshments for

all comers. A number of political can-

didates attempted to advance their in-

terests. Capt. Kierce was in charge

and was assisted by a committee of

members. Various sports were enjoyed

during the afternoon.

PAT KEEGAN FINED

Patrick Keegan of this city who was

arrested in Lawrence for violation of

the traffic ordinance, was fined \$10 and

appealed. E. J. Tierney of this city

appealed for Keegan.

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Miss Beatrice

Allen, who occupies a fashionable

South Side apartment, was robbed in

daylight today of jewelry valued at

\$22,000 and \$100 cash.

## Venezelos Candidate is Elected President of Chamber of Deputies

ATHENS, Greece, Aug. 16, via Lon-

don, 6 1/2 p. m.—The Greek chamber of

deputies assembled today. M. Zavit-

zanos, an adherent of former Premier

Venizelos, was elected president.

The majority of the Venizelos party,

as a result of its victory in the recent

general election, was indicated by its

votes, as compared with 93 for the can-

didate of the government.

And said petitioner are hereby di-

rected to cause a copy of this order

of the time and place appointed for the

hearing of said petition, by serving said

Alfred Brown with a copy of this or-

der, within ten days after the date of

said order, to the clerk of said probate

court, and by mailing to said wife

and heirs apparent or presumptive at

the last known postoffice address of each,

a copy of the same, seven days at least

before the date of said hearing, by pub-

lishing, by publishing the same once in

each week, for three successive weeks,

in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper pub-

lished in Lowell, in the last publication

to be one day at least before said

court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Es-

quire, first judge of said court, the six-

teenth day of August, in the year

one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

A17-21-31

## LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Alfred Brown of Billerica, in said

County of Middlesex, and to his wife

and heirs apparent or presumptive.

Whereas, a petition for conservator-

ship has been presented to said court,

by Charles H. Brown, and Anna E.

Brown, both of said Billerica, alleging

that said Alfred Brown has become in-

capacitated by reason of advanced age

and mental weakness to properly care

for his property, and praying that said

Charles H. Brown, or some other suit-

able person, may be appointed conserva-

tor of his property, agreeably to the

law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby notified to appear at a

Probate Court to be held at Cambridge,

in and for said County of Middlesex,

on the thirtieth day of September, A.

D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon,

to show cause, if any you have, why

a conservator should not be ap-

pointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioners are hereby di-



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LOWELL MASS. TUESDAY AUGUST 17 1915

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## U. S. DOLLAR STANDARD

### New York Displaces London as Center of Money Exchange—Sterling, Francs and Lires Drop

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The American dollar ruled the financial world yesterday. Pounds sterling, francs, liras, virtually all foreign exchange, went down to new depths in a torrent of bills that poured into the exchange markets from American manufacturers seeking pay for the big war contracts of munitions and other supplies purchased here by the warring nations of Europe.

#### Dollars for War Supplies

Coincident with the startling decline in exchange rates came the assertion from an unimpeachable source that every contract made by the American manufacturers for supplies sent abroad called for payment in American dollars instead of English pounds as formerly. The immense losses in consequence, due to the decline in foreign exchange rates, will be borne to the last penny by the foreign buyers and will not be sustained by the American manufacturers, a situation exactly opposite to what had heretofore been the popular belief.

The maximum depreciation yesterday in pounds sterling was 4 1/2 per cent. below normal in francs 10 per cent. below normal in liras 20 per cent. below normal. In the money markets yesterday the pound sold for but \$4.64; 60 francs equaled a dollar, and a dollar purchased 6.48 liras. These were the quotations while rates were at the lowest ebb during the early afternoon. In the last hour of the business day the presence in Wall street of J. P. Morgan for the first time since the attack on his life six weeks ago, and an informal conference of bankers to consider the situation sent rates upward on a rebound.

Sterling closed at 4.67 1/2, one-half point higher than it opened, and a point and a half under Saturday's close, which established a new low record at the time. Francs gained three points over the low record, selling at 5.59 at the close, and liras rebounded a point, closing at 6.47.

What to do to remedy the situation engaged the attention of bankers with international connections at their informal conference late yesterday. It was decided to do nothing, chiefly because the remedy lay across the ocean with the foreign buyers. They and not the American sellers, it was clearly established, were the sufferers and theirs, it was the consensus of opinion, should be the task of setting the money markets to rights.

How this would be done, however, was the subject of keen consideration and some speculation. It was generally believed that the present abnormal situation would not be permitted to continue long. The obvious remedy seemed to be to sell American securities held abroad, and when this contingency was studied, the situation seemed to be pregnant with unique possibilities.

A great many millions of American securities, payable of course, in dollars, when due, are held abroad, chiefly high class railroad bonds and preferred stock of certain railroads and the bonds and preferred stock of a selected list of American industrialists. Should these securities be sold at the present exchange rates in foreign markets they would fetch far more than the purchasers paid for them, due entirely to the depression of exchange.

Can Sell U. S. Bonds at Profit  
Thus a \$1000 American bond sold in Paris at par would on account of the prevailing exchange rate, bring approximately 5000 francs. When purchased at par a year ago, it cost the purchaser approximately 5000 francs. The net profit would be about 950 francs, or about 19 per cent, the percentage of depression in francs in American markets. In London the profit would be approximately 4 1/2 per cent and in Rome the profit would approximate 25 per cent.

With these prospective profits as an inducement, it was believed that holders abroad would be willing to sell and that foreign buyers of American goods would have little difficulty in procuring a large amount of American securities abroad as collateral for a temporary loan in this country which would tend to correct exchange rates. The establishment here of a big foreign credit, estimated conservatively at \$500,000,000, was thought to be absolutely necessary if exchange rates were to be restored to anything like normal figures.

## EXCURSION TO LAKE WINNEPESAUKEE

FROM LOWELL

### Monday, Aug. 23

Regular Train Service  
A FOUR HOUR SAIL

Constantly changing vistas of the mountains, with settings of islands, villages and shifting natural beauties. Every minute furnishes a new delight.

AND THE AIR  
That's what will do you good; and guarantee a hearty appetite for lunch, which can be secured on the boat if you desire.

For Tickets and detailed information, call at Local Ticket Office.

A. N. BURT, General Passenger Agent

## A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The successful baseball careers of the Kimball system, Lawrence Mfg. and P. and Q. South End teams, three strong local semi-professional baseball teams backed and encouraged by enterprising business concerns or manufacturers, call back the old days slightly over quarter of a century ago when the floods of Lowell, backed by C. I. Hood, of Sarsaparilla fame, were known all over the England. The local manufacturing concerns backing baseball teams is as old, perhaps, as the traditional hills and originated with the concerns in remote places which in order to hold their employees had to provide recreation and entertainment for them and hence provided baseball teams. Originally the concern having such ball teams would have all of the players working in the shop during the week allowing them time off for practice and paying them extra money for their services on the diamond. But these shop and industrial baseball teams, great so, in numbers and importance, that genuine professionals were introduced, first, the batteries, and then players of the other positions until often a team would appear on the diamond none of whose players had ever seen the inside of the factory they represented. Quarter of a century ago, the only semi-professional teams even in the big league that had much on the floods of Lowell or the Millers of Wakefield, a famous organization that represented the Miller Piano company. In recent years, Lowell has seen but a few such teams. The only one, the only one, the only one of the system bearing his name, decided to have a systematic ball team. Then Agent Walker of the Lawrence Mfg. Co., who is an ardent fan, came to the assistance of the team that represented his mill and provided them with a first class ball park. The P. and Q. management, backed by the famous South End and now it seems like the good old days to be able to see a good semi-professional game when the league team is not at home. At a recent game between the Kimball system team and the Lawrence Mfg. company, the only semi-professional team was playing for the hostelry team while the only hostelry man was the manager. But a little thing like that doesn't bother the fans. They're out to see their team regardless of the names and occupations of the men in the lineup. Such teams go a great way toward settling the old feud between employer and employee, and a little more of that spirit would go a great distance toward arriving at a permanent armistice between capital and labor. It was Mr. C. I. Hood, of Lowell who through love of good sport and the example for all to follow, quarter of a century ago and I'll give you an account of the old Hood team as gleaned from the columns of the old Sun.

### The Famous Hood Team

The Hood team won the championship of the mill in 1885 and the old Sun had the following:  
"The success of this team is due to the liberality of Mr. C. I. Hood, the extensive dealer in Hood's Sarsaparilla, and other health-giving concoctions. This gentleman has taken a lively interest in the club since he began, and as nearly all of the young men on the team are employed in his laboratory he has given them opportunities to perfect themselves in the science of twirling the sphere. Mr. Hood has allowed the young men who play every local team the privilege of playing on the team on Saturday afternoons (there were no half-day days then) during the warm weather for the past three years, giving them their pay, providing their uniforms, etc. and encouraging them in many other ways. His generosity has had the effect of making the ball players more loyal to the club than to any other team they play for. The organization this year has had Edward Lachance as its manager; Charles S. Maxwell, secretary and Z. Win Sturtevant, treasurer. Under that management this year the Hood team have defeated every local team they have played and have given rub to the strongest professional teams in the state. They began the season by defeating the Belles of Lowell, who claimed the championship of the state. Then a controversy arose between the Hood team and the Matthews as to which was the champion team. The Matthews broke in as managers of the Matthews and Hood, of the Matthews, settled upon a date, and the Hood team were the victors by a score of 4 to 2. The Matthews, however, were not ready to give up the championship and two more games were arranged. Only one was played for the Hood team and the Matthews gave up the ghost. Out of seventeen games played by the Hood team this season 12 have been won, 5 lost and one drawn. The games won were from the Belles, Hoods of Boston; Peppercorns, Alerts of Billerica, Bay States of Boston; the Hoods of Lowell; the Matthews, one each and two from the Collinsvilles and Matthews. The games lost were to the Nashua, Maldens and Manchester teams with the Concord. The drawn game was with the W. B. and S. of Lowell."

Who they were  
Go out to Spaulding park these days, and sometime you'll hear the gentle voice of Ed. Lachance coaching the home team and modestly telling of how the game was played when the Hood team were on earth. I'd like to reproduce the picture of Ed. that the old Sun printed in 1885. He was a regular Apollo and he was "growing up." Ed was manager of the Hood team and had charge of the shipping department the rest of the time. He's still on the job in the shipping department, and if I am not mistaken is the C. I. Hood company's oldest employee in point of continuous service—and he's a young fellow still, I mean, yet for a young fellow, he'll never be still.  
Nazaire W. Ladeau was a catcher when Jack Donovan was not behind the bat and an outfielder. He generally caught Billy Meade, while Donovan caught Roger Connors. Ladeau played with Roxbury, Mass., and the Athletics. Then he came to Collinsville to play with the Collinsville team and he did so well that he was introduced to the art of making Sarsaparilla.  
Jack Donovan was recently "written up" in this column as a famous old time ball player and now head of the Police League.  
John H. Connors, the famous "Roger" of quarter of a century ago, baseball player and all round performer including member of the regular army, whaler and globe-trotter, broke into baseball with the Hood team and pitched and played the outfield. He was out of the team after a while with Jack Donovan and subsequently went farther

west. As I informed you a few days ago, but when playing around Lowell, he was a permanent member of the Hood team, though he also played with the Rutlands and Bethels in Vermont and one day at Foulton, Vt. made the wonderful record which still stands in that state, of a no-hit, no run game in which he struck out 23 men. He also once won a game in the far west by the unprecedented score of 1-2-3, the only case of its kind on record. There's some doubt of that last record, of which I'll tell you at another time, but the Vermont record is genuine.

Henry C. Maguire played with the Hood team and continued to work at the laboratory long after his ball playing days were over. He played first base for the Hood team in 1884 and captained the Matthews in 1885.

Charles Maxwell, who captained the Hood team, had the distinction of having been in a big league club before playing with the local team. In 1882 Charlie played second base for the Billerica team and showed such class that the following year he went to Detroit and played with the Detroit team. After a season with the Detroit team he returned and became captain of the Hood team. After leaving the Hood team he played with the T. R. and T. S. of North Billerica and his playing was so good that they made him postmaster of the village.

Cornelius H. O'Leary, the crack third baseman of the Hood team, afterward became a professional and played with Donovan and Connors in the Michigan and other leagues. He first played with the Hood team in 1881 and his playing got him a job with the Holbrook team where he was champion of New England. In 1882 he came back from the Holbrook team and played one season with the Matthews and then joined the Hood team.

The late Z. Win Sturtevant, who held a position of responsibility at the laboratory for many years, was one of Arthur E. Salmon's baseball contemporaries. He played with the Dartmouth school team way back in 1874. In 1885 he was with the Belles of Lowell and left them to go with the Hood team, playing short stop and the outfield.

Daniel F. Guthrie was a Lowell boy who played a fast short stop and was a heavy hitter. He broke into the game with the old Burkes and jumped them and went to the Matthews, their last rivals, in the cold water league. In 1886 he went out to Collinsville but he was too good to be lost in the woods and hence he was shown how to make patent medicine. John R. Cunningham could play about any position on the team but pitcher, and was a good batter.

William F. Meade who with Roger Connors did the pitching for the Hood team, broke into the game with the Hood team in 1881 and in 1882 went to Boston College and after pitching for that team joined the Hood team during his vacation days. He was 19 years of age at the time. In the fall of 1886 he entered Holy Cross college and became one of the best pitchers in the history of that college, before or since. Along with being a fine ball player he was a slender path artist and hence he was a star on the team.

Then there was Eddie Cull, brother of the mayor's secretary, John Cull, who afterward became a well known professional. Eddie broke into the game with the old time stars of the South common, the old South Ends, and started in as a catcher and in his first big game the South Ends defeated the North Billerics. Eddie catching Dick Conway who afterward became the famous Boston pitcher and was in a warm fan today. In 1881 Eddie went down to Sanford, Me., and helped the Sanford team to the championship of that state. In 1885 he joined the Belles of Lowell and won the prize offered by the old Citizen newspaper company as the best player in Lowell. In 1886 he played with the Hood team and finished the season with the Newburyports. In after years he was with the big Boston team and was in the Philippines when the game was brand new in that then benighted country.

The Hood team had everything that went with a first class baseball organization even to an umpire and the ump was Joseph H. Callahan, who afterward umpired in the New England league and in others and who became known to all sporting writers for his fairness and integrity. The team broke in as managers of the Matthews in 1884 when that team defeated such strong organizations as the Holyokes, Haverhills, Concord, Lawrence and Hood Reserves. As umpire for the Hood team he attracted much attention and took trips all over the state umpiring games on which big money had been bet for he was noted for his good judgment, accuracy of eye and honesty.

They were some team, these old Hood team, and if you want to know any more about them just look up Ed Lachance some day, and ask him if they could play the game.

#### At Lakeview

There were probably 7000 more or less at Lakeview last Saturday, but they were a different crowd from the mobs who flocked there a quarter of a century ago and the attractions they sought were of a different nature. The Sun of a quarter of a century ago had the following:  
"The sports at Lakeview, Saturday attracted about 7000 persons. The ball game between the Matthews and the Burkes was very exciting and was won by the latter by a score of 18 to 1. The swimming match between McCusker and Ladeau was won by the latter and was for \$100 per side. The sculling race between Tweed and Mellen was won by the former. A display of fireworks was given in the evening."

There was something doing in the sport and athletic line at Lakeview every Saturday in the days gone by and hence the crowds that went there despite the fact that the facilities for entertaining them could not be compared with those of today, and the different fact that it costs 25 cents to go there instead of a nickel as now. Quarter of a century ago a ball game between the Matthews and Burkes would draw a crowd wherever the contest might be staged for they had good teams and there was great rivalry. Then, McCusker was one of the most famous swimmers in the country quarter of a century ago, while John Tweed and Hugh Mellen were noted scullers and great rivals. These were before the days of movies and outdoor vaudeville shows and the man-

agement depended upon athletics, dancing and fireworks to draw the crowds.

#### Hall-Harrington Nuptials

One would never dream of placing Mrs. Belle Harrington Hall, Lowell, talented and charming reader, among the quarter of a century matrons of Lowell, but the old Sun conveys the information with the following:  
"Mr. Irving J. Hall and Miss Belle Harrington were married by Rev. F. K. Chase, at Dover, N. H., Wednesday (August 20). Mr. Hall is a well known business man of the firm of Fetter & Hall, commission merchants, and a sergeant in the Coverts. Miss Harrington is an elocutionist who has delighted Lowell audiences on several occasions with her excellent readings. On their return to Lowell the happy young couple will reside in Coral street."

Mrs. Hall is still as pleasing before an audience as in days gone by, her services are constantly in demand and she is ever pleased to respond when her household duties permit. She is frequently called out of town to appear at entertainments and her ability is recognized throughout New England. Mr. Hall is well known about town and holds a position of responsibility with the street department. Their many friends will unite with the writer in extending congratulations, and sincere wishes for a charming golden wedding 25 years hence.

#### THE OLD TIMER.

### INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan returned yesterday after spending the week-end with his family in Brockton.

Carpenters' union, Local 49, will meet tonight in Carpenters hall for the transaction of important business.

The Painters' union will meet Thursday night to take action on the Labor day parade.

Walter Kelly, formerly employed at the Haines Electric Co., has accepted a position with the U. S. Cartridge Co.

Elgin Lodge, N. E. O. P., will meet in regular session Thursday night in Veritas hall, Branch street. Routine business will be transacted and a large attendance is desired.

The special officers at the plants of the U. S. Cartridge Co. made their first appearance in the new uniforms yesterday. They will be sworn in within a few days.

The labor vote is to become a decided factor in coming city politics. Before the start of the year labor organizations of this city had 7000 organized members and at the present time the figure has jumped to close to 10,000.

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers will be away all this week on organizing duties. His schedule will take him through this state, Maine and Connecticut.

#### Boot & Shoe Workers' Union

The Boot & Shoe Workers' union held a largely attended meeting at the Rutland building last evening at which several new members were initiated. A report of routine business was also transacted and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, who presided delivered a very interesting address on organization and the value of the union label.

#### Labor Forward Committee

The Labor Forward committee will hold an important meeting this evening in Trades & Labor hall. The committee is arranging several open meetings during the coming two weeks, and open meetings for drug clerks and laundry workers will be held on Aug. 23.

#### Bakers' Union

At the meeting held by the Bakers' union in the union headquarters in Middle street last Saturday night, Robert Schneider of Boston was the principal speaker. Jack Sanford of Chicago, international organizer for the bakers, will be in this city on Friday and will attend the meeting of the bakers to be held Saturday evening.

#### Moulders' Union

At a meeting of the Moulders' union held last night in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street, President John D. Willard was elected marshal of the moulders' union. A report of routine business was also transacted and the union will also enter a tug-of-war team in the sports to be held on the South common. The reports of the delegates to the Trades & Labor council and the committee on the labor forward movement were read and accepted as progressive. A communication from the United States that the business agent of Lynn and vicinity will address the meeting, all machinists are invited to attend.

#### Loomfixers' Union

Local 13, Loomfixers' union held its regular meeting last night in the union quarters in the Rutland building with President John Hanley in the chair. Further arrangements were made for the Labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

#### Machinists' Campaign

The campaign waged by the International Association of Machinists for an eight hour day and increased wages, which has proven so successful in other New England cities will be inaugurated in Lowell on Thursday night when an open meeting of machinists will be held in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street, with Vice-President P. J. Conlin and Organizer Ross Hall of Lynn as the principal speakers. These two labor men have been handling the trouble at Hyde Park.

During the early stages of the campaign the organizers have worked for organization and when this has been sufficiently accomplished demands will be made on the heads of local plants for an eight hour day and increased wages.

Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty of Andrews street and Miss Mary Hogan of Moore street are enjoying their vacation at Lynn and Revere beaches.

## U. S. REPLY TO GERMANY

### Answer on Sinking of Frye Accepts Proposal for Reparation—Arbitrate Disputed Provisions

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The American reply to Germany's last note on the sinking of the American sailing ship, William P. Frye, made public here today by the state department, accepts the proposal that damages be fixed by a mixed commission and that the disputed treaty provisions be submitted to arbitration at The Hague, but calls on Germany for a statement, meanwhile, as to whether she intends to conduct her future naval operations in accordance with her interpretation of the Prussian-American treaty or those of the United States.

#### On Way to Settlement

The note is regarded as putting the noted case well on the way to a settlement. It is addressed by Secretary Lansing to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, and follows:

You are instructed to present the following note to the German minister for foreign affairs:  
Under instructions from my government, I have the honor to inform your excellency, in reply to your note of July 30 in regard to the sinking of the William P. Frye that the government of the United States learns with regret that the objections urged by a signing of this case to the prize court for decision have not commended themselves to the Imperial German government and it equally regrets that the reasons presented by the Imperial German government for submitting this case to the prize court have failed to remove the objections of the government of the United States to the adoption of that course. As this disagreement has been reached after the full presentation of the views of both governments in our previous correspondence, a further exchange of views on the question at dispute would doubtless be unprofitable, and the government of the United States therefore welcomes your excellency's suggestion that some other way should be found for settling this case.

#### Methods of Settlement

The two methods of settlement proposed as alternative suggestions in your excellency's note have been given careful consideration and it is believed that if they can be combined so that they may both be adopted, they will furnish a satisfactory basis for the solution of the questions at issue.

The government of the United States has already expressed its desire that the question of amount of indemnity to be paid by the Imperial government under its admitted liability for the losses of the owners and captain on account of the sinking of the Frye should be settled by diplomatic negotiation and it entirely concurs with the suggestion of the Imperial German government that the simplest way would be to agree as proposed in our note, "that each of the two governments designate an expert and that payment under this arrangement would not constitute an admission that American treaty rights had been violated but would be regarded by the Imperial German government merely as fulfilling a duty or policy founded on existing treaty stipulations. A payment on this understanding would be entirely acceptable to the government of the United States provided that the acceptance of such payment should likewise be understood to be without prejudice to the contention of the government of the United States that the sinking of the Frye was without legal justification, and provided also that an arrangement can be agreed upon for the immediate submission to arbitration of the question of legal justification, in so far as it involves the interpretation of existing treaty stipulations."

#### Acceptable to United States

The government of the United States notes that your suggestion is made with the express reservation that a payment under this arrangement would not constitute an admission that American treaty rights had been violated but would be regarded by the Imperial German government merely as fulfilling a duty or policy founded on existing treaty stipulations. A payment on this understanding would be entirely acceptable to the government of the United States provided that the acceptance of such payment should likewise be understood to be without prejudice to the contention of the government of the United States that the sinking of the Frye was without legal justification, and provided also that an arrangement can be agreed upon for the immediate submission to arbitration of the question of legal justification, in so far as it involves the interpretation of existing treaty stipulations."

There can be no difference of opinion between the two governments as to the desirability of having this question a true intent and meaning of treaty stipulations, determined without delay, and to that end the government of the United States proposes that the alternative suggestion of the Imperial German government also be adopted, so that this question of treaty interpretation can be submitted forthwith to arbitration pursuant to article 35 of The Hague convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes.

Can Promptly be Settled  
In this way both the question of indemnity and the question of treaty interpretation can promptly be settled, and it will be observed that the only change made in the plan proposed by the Imperial German government is that, instead of eliminating either one of its alternative suggestions, they are both given effect in order that both of the questions under discussion may be dealt with at the same time.

If this proposal proves acceptable to the Imperial German government, it will be necessary also to determine whether, pending the arbitral award, the Imperial German government shall govern its naval operations in accordance with its own interpretation, or in accordance with the interpretation maintained by the United States as to the obligations imposed by their treaty stipulations; and the government of the United States would be glad to have an expression of the views of the Imperial German government on this point.

## DIED OF HIS INJURIES

FRANK C. SOUSA OF NORTH ST. DIED IN NASHUA HOSPITAL

Frank C. Sousa, of 52 North street, this city, the young man who figured in a motorcycle accident in Nashua, N. H., yesterday, an account of which was published in yesterday's issue of The Sun, died from his injuries at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua, yesterday. He was first injured in a motorcycle accident on the Nashua road, and was employed at the U. S. Cartridge company. He is survived by two brothers, both of this city. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

#### TO JOIN OBLATE ORDER

Three Young Men Took Their First Vows at Tewksbury Navitate Sunday

Emile Bolduc, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zephirin Bolduc of Woodcock avenue and brother of Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I., of St. Joseph's parish; Lucien Brassard, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brassard of Mt. Hope street, and William McFall, also of this city, took their first vows for admittance to the Oblate order at the Tewksbury Navitate Sunday. The ceremony was presided over by the provincial of the Oblate order for this part of the country, Very Rev. T. Wade Smith O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church. The relatives and a number of friends of the young men attended the ceremony. Messrs. Bolduc and Brassard are former pupils of St. Joseph's college, this city, and the three young men completed their studies at the Holy Angels' college in Buffalo, N. Y. last June.

John Conlan, a prominent member of the C. M. I., will be in Winthrop for the rest of the week looking after arrangements for the Sullivan-Richards swim to be held Saturday.

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## 1000 LIVES LOST

## LEO FRANK LYNCHED BY MOB

## SEIZE VARNUM LAND FOR CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL

City Council Will Rescind Former Action—Another Step Taken in Dummer Street Extension

Unless the city council changes its mind again the contagious hospital, or more properly speaking, the isolation hospital, will be built on the Thomas Varnum land in West Meadow road, the land viewed by the council yesterday.

Speaking for the council, the mayor, at today's meeting, stated that the council would rescind its action whereby it was voted to acquire land in Seventh avenue and Mt. Hope street for a contagious hospital and that the city solicitor and city engineer would be instructed to prepare the necessary plans and papers. The mayor also stated that the council would take steps to secure a portion of the Thomas Varnum land in West Meadow road for a

hospital site. He said the city would seize the land and stated that the council wanted to have the Varnum land ready for occupancy before rescinding its vote on the other site. The former vote, he said, will be rescinded the first week in September.

## Westford Street Fire House

The mayor read the petition of the people of the highlands who want the chemical repaired and returned to the Westford street fire house and that sufficient men and horses be stationed there for its proper care and handling. The petitioners believed such precaution necessary in order to stop contagions in their incinerator. "I can't see," said Mr. Morse, "why

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## COUNCIL BLUNDERS AGAIN

Another Wrinkle in Hospital Site Selection—Land Assessed for \$50 an Acre

The municipal council is wrong again. It seems almost impossible for the council to get at anything right or to do anything right. The latest blunder has to do with the figures quoted on the Thomas Varnum land in West Meadow road which the council is going to acquire for a contagious hospital site.

The mayor and other members of the municipal council stated yesterday that the land was assessed for

\$108.90 an acre when as a matter of fact it is assessed for only \$50 an acre, a difference of about \$58.90 in the 100-acre lot.

The mayor said that the land was assessed for one-quarter of a cent a foot or \$108.90 an acre, but the mayor was mistaken. Just beyond the land lying west of the West Meadow road, Mr. Varnum has a couple of lots of land that are assessed for one-quarter of a cent a foot and these are evidently the lots the mayor looked at when he got his figures from the assessors' books.

The lots assessed for one-quarter of a cent a foot comprise about 15 acres. The mayor stated this morning that the city would seize a portion of the land viewed yesterday, the land the mayor said was assessed for \$108.90 an acre, as a site for the contagious disease hospital. The city is not obliged to pay more than twenty-five per cent in excess of the assessed valuation which at the rate given by the mayor, if the twenty-five per cent extra were allowed, would be \$136.13 an acre, while twenty-five per cent over \$50 an acre, as it appears on the assessors' books, would be \$62.50, a difference of \$73.63 an acre, or \$7363 on 100 acres.

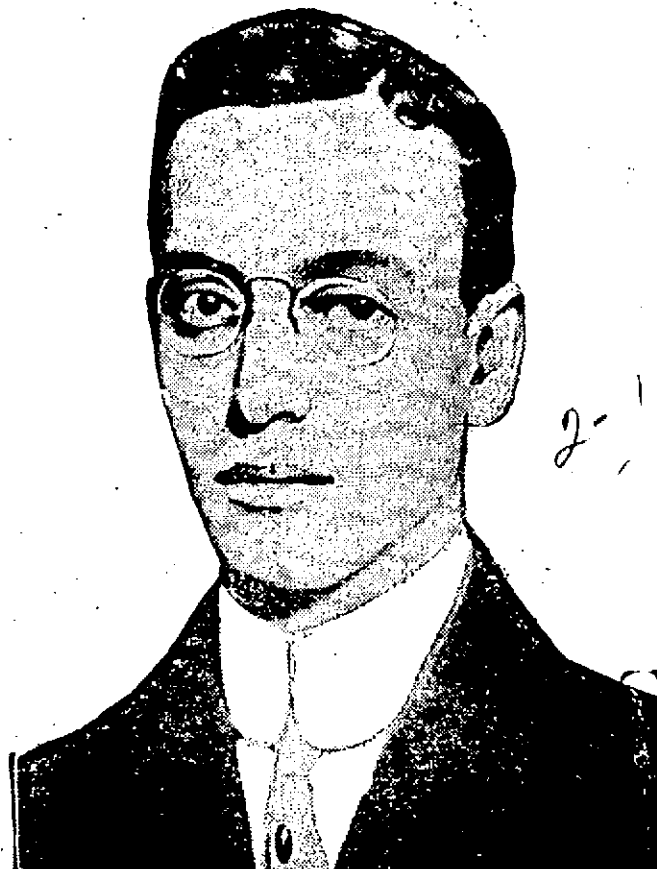
## THE MCMANUS PICNIC

The McManus picnic will start from Merrimack square for Mountain Rock at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The boys will be given a concert by the Essex Training school band at Paige street before starting. They should be there at 8 o'clock.

## ORPHANS' OUTING

The sixth annual outing of the children of the French American orphanage was held today at the beautiful grounds of the Oblate novitiate in Tewksbury Centre, the affair as in previous years being conducted by the members of the sewing circle of St. Joseph's parish.

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THE LATE LEO M. FRANK

## TAKEN FROM PRISON AND HANGED TO TREE

MARIETTA, Ga., Aug. 17.—Leo M. Frank, serving a life term for the murder of Mary Phagan, the Atlanta factory girl, and who was taken from the prison farm at Milledgeville last night, was lynched two miles east of here today by the armed party, which took him. He was hanged to a tree.

## No Shots Fired

Frank was brought 100 miles from the prison farm to a point almost within sight of the former home of Mary Phagan. No shots were fired. Frank's body, barefooted and clad only in prison trousers and shirt, was found at 3:30 o'clock. It is believed he was lynched about daylight.

Several automobiles, well loaded, left here in the direction of Milledgeville late last night. After the return of some of the machines today, officers started out on the road which they believed the automobiles had traveled. They had gone only two miles when they saw the body of Frank not more than 150 yards from the roadside.

## Body Cut Down

Frank's body was cut down at 10:15 o'clock but not until one of the crowd had spoken to those assembled advocating mutilation of the body. Many women and children were in the throng.

Newton Morris immediately pleaded with the crowd to allow an inquest to take its proper course. A vote was suggested and taken. It was overwhelmingly in favor of allowing the coroner to take charge of the body. It was then cut down.

At the suggestion of Newton A. Morris, former superior court judge here, the body was taken from the undertaker's wagon, in which it was placed at the lynching scene and put into an automobile on the outskirts of the town. The automobile started towards Atlanta.

Judge Morris telephoned from Smyrna to an Atlanta undertaker to meet the automobile and take charge of the body.

Body Roughly Handled

When the body was cut down, parts of Frank's shirt were torn away by souvenir hunters. The body was roughly handled before it was put into the undertaker's wagon.

Within a short time after the body was started for Atlanta, excitement here subsided and the town presented almost a normal appearance before noon.

After a special session of the Cobb county commissioners at which the employment of a special attorney to assist the coroner's jury was authorized, Coroner John A. Booth empan-

elled a jury and began an investigation of the lynching.

## WIFE TOLD OF LYNCHING

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Aug. 17.—Mrs. Leo M. Frank received the news that her husband had been lynched in a manner that led those present to believe that she had been expecting it. She was preparing to go to an uncle's home at Athens, Ga., when she was told what had occurred. She is reported bearing up well.

## TAKEN FROM PENITENTIARY

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Aug. 17.—A well organized party of armed men

who came in five automobiles attacked the Georgia state penitentiary here last night, took Leo M. Frank, serving a life term for the murder of Mary Phagan at Atlanta, from a dormitory and escaped with him.

For hours after the attack no trace of the automobiles bearing the party could be found, but at about daylight newspapermen picked up the trail at a point on Little river, near Eatonton, Ga. J. K. Jackson, living near a bridge over Little river, said that shortly after midnight he heard several automobiles stop there. Soon afterwards he said he heard loud talk-

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## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 17.—John Gammis is no longer manager of the Rochester team of the International league. President Charles T. Chapin announced today.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson today assured Chairman Lever of the house agricultural committee that definite steps soon would be taken to better the cotton situation in the south.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Official weather predictions for the North Atlantic states for the week beginning Wednesday are cool and generally fair, followed by showers toward the end of the week.

NORWICH, Conn., Aug. 17.—Rogue players with aspirations for championship honors gathered here today for the opening of the national rogue tournament on its long established courts. This is the 34th annual tournament.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 17.—Maurice E. McLaughlin of San Francisco appeared on the grand stand court of the Casino today for the first time since his defeat on this turf last year by R. Norris Williams, 2nd, to meet T. R. Pell or New York in the third round of the invitation singles lawn tennis tournament.

LONDON, Aug. 17, 12:31 p. m.—A Reuter despatch from Sofia says that the Turkish authorities at Constantinople have ordered the American gunboat Scorpion, which has been in those waters some time, to take up her moorings in the inner part of the Golden Horn.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 17, via London, 2:06 p. m.—Warning is telegraphed to Berlin by the war correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger from the eastern war

theatre that the resistance of the Russians may be expected to increase as the Austrian-German front approaches the Russian line of defense.

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 17.—Grace Elliott, who yesterday denounced Edward Jones to the police here as being the perpetrator of the "ripper" murders in New York last spring, today made another statement to the police in which she considerably modified her previous utterances.

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—The boys of the U. S. E. Nebraska, now with the Atlantic fleet at Newport, are swelling with pride nowadays over the award to their ship of the engineering trophy of the United States navy for efficiency in the engineering department during the year ended June 30.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Players entered in the western open golf championship, which will be played tomorrow and Thursday at Glen Oak Country club, completed in a thirty-six hole medal play event today. The total prize money offered for the competition was \$600.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 17.—The steamship Caledonian has arrived from Bermuda with the Royal Canadian regiment on board. The Royal Canadian regiment of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad seek to hold certain past and present directors accountable for alleged losses by the company, was argued today before Judge De Courcy of the supreme court.

LYNN, Aug. 17.—The P. J. Harney Co., shoe manufacturers, made an assignment for the benefit of creditors today. Clifton Colburn, cashier of the Manufacturers National bank, representing the creditors, was named as assignee.

## BRITISH TRANSPORT WITH TROOPS SENT TO BOTTOM

Only 600 of 1600 Aboard Saved—Torpedoed in the Aegean—First Transport Lost

LONDON, Aug. 17, 12:32 p. m.—The British transport Royal Edward has been torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine. Announcement to this effect was made officially today. Six hundred men were saved out of 1350 troops and 320 other persons on board. The text of the announcement is as follows:

"The British transport Royal Ed-

ward was sunk by an enemy submarine in the Aegean last Saturday morning. According to the information at present available the transport had on board 32 military officers and 1350 troops, in addition to the ship's crew of 220 officers and men. "The troops consisted mainly of reinforcements for the 29th division and

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## 5000 FLEE IN HURRICANE

Galveston, Tex., Passed Through Worst Storm in Years—Cities Isolated

GALVESTON, Tex., Aug. 17, via wireless to Fort Sam Houston and telephone to San Antonio, 10:10 a. m.—Galveston today has passed through one of the worst storms within the past 15 years and now is ready to repair the damage done by last night's hurricane.

Five feet of water stands in the city and is slowly draining off. Two fires started today are yet to be placed under control. The transport McClellan, late last night, broke from its moorings and drifted half a mile out to sea. The commercial wireless station at Fort Arthur is out of commission and the big aerial masts at Fort Crockett here are down.

GALVESTON INUNDED  
DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 17.—Only mea-

EXCHANGE MARKETS DROP

Pounds Sterling, Francs and Lira Touch Low Records—Bank of England Exhausted

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The slight improvement in foreign exchange rates gained in yesterday's late rally was wiped out at the opening of the exchange markets today. Pounds sterling again touched the bottom quotation of 4.64; francs made a new low record of 6.94, two cents under yesterday's lowest quotation and Italian lire were acutely weak, falling to 5.54, seven cents under the closing figure of yesterday and six cents below the previous low record.

Nearly five million dollars in foreign gold coin reached Wall street during the forenoon from Ottawa for the account of Great Britain. This, it was reported, practically exhausted the Bank of England special deposits of about \$120,000,000 there, nearly all of which had already been shipped to the United States. At the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., to whom the gold was consigned, it was said that no further consignments of gold from Ottawa had been arranged for or were expected in the near future.

## BASEBALL RESULTS

National—First game: Chicago 2, Pittsburgh 0.  
American—First game: Detroit 10, Cleveland 3.  
American—Chicago-St. Louis game postponed, rain.

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Interest Begins Sept. 4th



gre information was available at noon today concerning the terrific tropical storm that yesterday struck the Texas coast, flooding Galveston and which then swept inland, doing heavy damage to crops and farm property.

So far as known no lives were lost. Galveston, Houston and Beaumont, three of the principal cities of south Texas, still were cut off from wire communication. A brief wireless despatch stating that Galveston, after weathering one of the worst storms in 15 years was under five feet of water, brought the only definite information in several hours concerning the fate of the coast city, concerning which many rumors had been afloat in the last 24 hours.

CITIES AND TOWNS ISOLATED  
DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 17.—With the cities and towns of southeast Texas isolated from the rest of the world and one of the worst tropical hurricanes

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## SUMMER LASSITUDE

The weakening effect of warm weather can be overcome, so you'll eat well, sleep well, and not suffer from dysentery, malaria chills, fever, or any of the numerous summer ills. Take a little

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

in water at mealtime—or before retiring. It is the medicine you need to build up the system, restore vitality and make the body healthy enough and strong enough to ward off the attacks of disease germs. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey gives the ambition of youth to the aged, and to the young all that vim, vigor and vitality to which youth is entitled.

"Get Duffy's and Keep Well."

At most drug-gists, grocers and dealers. If they can't supply you, write us. Medical booklet free.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

WHEN WASHINGTON

CROSSED THE DELAWARE

THINGS BEGAN

TO MOVE RIGHT AWAY

Like Washington's army our stock keeps moving. So we've done some crossing ourselves—on the prices. All SUMMER GOODS has been marked down but the style is just as good as it was before the prices tumbled.

CHALIFOUX'S



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

CITY OF LOWELL IS \$230,075.49  
FROM THE DEBT LIMIT—LOANS  
FOR THE YEAR

The financial statement of the commission of finance for the month of July was received from the printer today. The report includes the total appropriations, receipts, payments and unexpended balances of each account, also the balance sheet showing the assets and liabilities of the city of Lowell to date.

The distance from the debt limit August 1, according to the report, was \$270,053.49 as against \$282,159.49 January 1. The loans authorized thus far this year total \$285,000 exclusive of the \$235,000 water department loan and the \$700,000 high school loan. The council has the authority of the legislature to borrow \$700,000 for school purposes, but the loan has not yet been authorized. The Pawtucket bridge loan has been authorized but not negotiated.

The total valuation of all real estate and personal property owned by the city on January 1, 1915, was \$6,875,514.99, and the gross city debt less sinking funds was \$3,506,445.78, leaving an excess in valuation of all city property over the gross debt of the city of \$3,369,069.21.

The various appropriations for July out of the various appropriations were not very heavy. The commissioners' appropriation was given an extra "touch" on account of the buffet lunch served by the Page Catering Co. at city hall on the afternoon of July 5. This little amount cost the city \$130. "This little messenger must have a lot of correspondence and as he knows it is fairly safe to surmise that all of his correspondents are not of the sterner sex. His bill for stationery for July was \$23.

## GOUNARIS CABINET OUT

KING CONSTANTINE OF GREECE HAS ACCEPTED RESIGNATIONS

LONDON, Aug. 17, 9:30 a. m.—King Constantine of Greece has accepted the resignation of the Gounaris cabinet which was tendered to him yesterday afternoon by the former premier, according to a Reuters dispatch from Athens. Eleutherios Venizelos, leader of the opposition was invited to consult with the king today.

In the recent general election the Venizelos party obtained a majority in the Greek chamber of deputies. When the chamber assembled yesterday, Mr. Venizelos, a Venizelos adherent, was elected premier by a vote of 182 against 53 for the candidate of the government.

STEAMER EASTLAND RELEASED—CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—The steamship Eastland was formally released from the custody of the United States government and turned over to its owners today. What disposition will be made of the ship which capsized three weeks ago, drowning nearly 1000 persons, has not been determined.

Plans are being considered by the owners, it was said, in inspection shows that it can be fitted up safely to carry passengers, to take the ship to some other port for use in the excursion trade.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## BISURATED MAGNESIA

Neutralizes excess acid; instantly relieves indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour stomach, etc. One teaspoonful in a little water after eating. Pleasant; wholesome; inexpensive. At Lister's Pharmacy, in either powder or tablet form.

Bisurated Magnesia, No. 23 E. 26th st., N. Y. C.

## More Than Money

A safety razor saves a lot besides money on your vacation trip.

You shave when you want to and where, on boat or train or in poorly lighted rooms. No tips for barber or time wasted looking for the "best shop."

Take any one in our stock when you start and you can have your money back at the end of your trip if not satisfactory.

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Made to Stand Service. Several Sizes.

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216 Central Street

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If SAUNDERS' MARKET was not in Lowell how much would you be forced to pay for FOOD STUFFS of QUALITY? Read every special listed below. Ask yourself this question: How much do I pay elsewhere? Mr. Worker we are saving others Big Money. Why not you?

BIG BARGAINS FOR WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

SOAP P. and G Octagon 9 for 25c | MACARONI 10c Pkg. 51c Each 52c | Pea Beans York State Qt. 10c | Fat Bean Pork, pound, 7½c

POTATOES THE VERY BEST. PK. 14c | SUGAR BEST FINE GRAN. HAVE ALL YOU REQUIRE. POUND 6c | EGGS FRESH WESTERN DOZEN CARTON 19c

BUTTER SAUNDERS' SPECIAL CREAMERY. lb. 27c | PURE LARD VERY BEST lb. 9½c | Bread Flour MUSKETEE. YOU KNOW THIS BRAND. BAG 93c | Cheese RICH TASTY lb. 14c

Sirloin Steak THE BEST FROM HEAVY CHICAGO LOINS, LB. 21c | SHOULDERS, 8 to 11 A.M. ONLY. Lb. 8½c | Corned Beef Thick Rib. lb. 13c Sticking Pieces. lb. 12½c Native Cabbage 1 lb. Pound for Pound.

LEMONS THIN SKIN JUICY. DOZ. 9c | ORANGES SWEET JUICY. DOZ. 17c | PINEAPPLES, Each 5c | BANANAS, Doz. 10c | PEACHES BEST GEORGIA, Doz. 10c

Green Corn, doz. 12c | LARGE FANCY SHORE Haddock 5c | Sunshine Biscuits 3 for 10c

Pork Sausage, lb. 12c | Sliced Ham, Sweet Pickled, lb. 18c | Frankfurts, fresh made, hot, lb. 9c | Forequarter Lamb, lb. 8c | Top Round Steak, the best, lb. 21c | Top Round Steak, lb. 18c

Tomato Sausage, lb. 12c | Cut up Fowl, ready to use, lb. 18c | Boiled Ham, our cooking, sliced, lb. 18c | Lamb Chops, lb. 10c | Sirloin Steak, lb. 17c | Lobsters, strong live, lb. 22c

Nelson Bacon, lb. 13c | Pigs' Feet or Snouts, lb. 5c | Beef Liver, fresh, sliced, lb. 4c | Salt Ribs, the very best, lb. 8½c | Veal Steaks, fancy cuts, lb. 19c | Clams, in the shell, qt. 5c

Cut of Ham, to boil, lb. 12½c | Salt Spare Ribs, lb. 5c | Veal for Pie, lb. 9c | Lamb to Stew, lb. 7c | Mutton Steak, fancy cuts, lb. 17c | Thick Salt Fish, pkg. 7c

W. W. AT VERA CRUZ

CIRCULATE HIGHLY INFLAMMATORY PLACARDS CALLING MASS MEETINGS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—State department despatches from Vera Cruz today say:

"Highly inflammatory placards have been circulated throughout the town by the I. W. W. The placards called for a mass meeting on Aug. 15 directed principally against prospective intervention or interference in Mexico by the A. B. C. Authorities protest ignorance of the document. Carranza forbade the mass meeting, but the posters remain on the walls."

Battleships Due Tomorrow

No active anti-foreign demonstration has been reported, but officials here are uneasy over the situation, as it affects Americans and other foreigners. The battleships New Hampshire and Louisiana with Rear Admiral McLean are due in Vera Cruz tomorrow.

Wounded are beginning to arrive at Chihuahua from the vicinity of Forton, which is taken to indicate fighting between Oregon and Villa. The report adds that Gen. Villa has ordered many executions for pillaging.

DARING ATTACK ON U S TROOP

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Aug. 17.—The border situation along the lower Rio Grande caused increased anxiety here today when authorities received reports that 25 horses, including some recognized as stolen by bandits in recent raids on the Texas side, were delivered this week in Matamoros, the Mexican town opposite here held by Carranza.

These reports and the daring attack by Mexicans on a troop of United States cavalry last night, near Progress, 30 miles above Brownsville, absorbed the attention of authorities today.

Early today more troops reached Mercedes and the Progress section. They were infantrymen from the 4th regiment which arrived here yesterday from Texas City.

The Sickabed Lady

A certain amount of physical exercise is necessary in order that the functions of various organs receive stimulation, nurse thinks. Lack of exercise makes the blood sluggish and the impurities are thrown from one organ to another without being expelled from the body. Exercise stirs the circulation and encourages deep breathing which enables the lungs to throw off the impurities more freely.

The value of fruits and fruit juices as a cathartic is destroyed if they are taken with other food. The proper time to take them, for this purpose, is in the morning when the stomach is entirely empty.

Olive oil, taken every morning half an hour before breakfast is good for removing liver spots and otherwise clearing the complexion. Take a teaspoon of the best olive oil before breakfast and the same quantity half an hour after the latest meal.

TOMORROW

At 3 o'clock Spaulding Park

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BASE BALL

GET COBURN'S

Liquid Disinfectant

Prevents Odors, Cleans Sinks, Purifies Everything

Pint 15c

Free City Water Delivery

C. B. Coburn Co.

63 MARKET ST.

Garvey—The funeral of the late

Garvey took place yesterday at 2:30 o'clock from his home, 101 Coburn street, and was largely attended.

Funeral services were held at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Henry Taitan. The church services were also largely attended, the congregation filling the entire church. The burial was in the family plot in the cemetery where Rev. Henry Taitan read the burial services. The bearers were Messrs. George Donohue, John Nolan, James Burns, Charles Stowey, John McKenna and Harry McNell. The officers were John P. Frawley, Paul Roane, John McCabe and Charles Foye. Present at the funeral were the following delegation representing the Princeton club of which the deceased was a very popular member: Fred Powers, James Mahan, Raymond Foye, Patrick McCarthy, Thomas McQuinn, William Manning, William Foye, William Breen, William Ryan and William Grant. Beautiful floral tributes were sent to the church, including a large pillow inscribed "Our Albert" and a large pillow inscribed "Our William".

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## SAUNDERS'

LOWELL'S LEADING FRUIT STORE

## FLEE IN HURRICANE

Continued

of a decade wearing itself out over the coastal prairies, the fate of Galveston today was not known, although it was believed the storm center had passed slightly west of the island city.

Houston, Beaumont, Galveston and a group of lesser towns are cut off and for a while San Antonio and Austin were cut off, but communication with these later were re-established. Reports from Galveston by last night's latest arrivals in Houston, told of comparative quiet among the residents.

The streets of Galveston were reported filled with rain water but the level of the sea water was several feet below that of the city last night. Early reports of water from the rain running through the streets were believed today to be incorrect as the rain water easily might fill the city's storm sewers and flood the thoroughfares.

The greatest damage is that to crops and farm houses along the coastal plains.

CAUSEWAY WASHED AWAY

WACO, Tex., Aug. 17.—The Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad received a report from its Galveston offices this morning that a hundred feet of the causeway at Galveston had been washed away. No further particulars were given.

5000 FLEE FROM GALVESTON

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 17.—News from Galveston, isolated by a violent storm, was anxiously awaited early today. Telegraph and telephone company officials having expressed their belief that wire communication interrupted by the storm which struck the city yesterday would be restored soon after daylight today. While Houston and Beaumont similarly were cut off from outside communication, little anxiety was felt for those cities because they are situated some distance from the Gulf coast and practically safe from high Gulf waters. These three cities were not only cut off from communication with the outside world, but were isolated a great distance apart, were also isolated from each other, at least in so far as telegraph or telephone connection is concerned.

70 Miles an Hour Gale

Reports from Galveston, last night, indicated that the velocity of the wind there had increased from 34 miles an hour in the forenoon to between 65 and 70 miles late in the afternoon and that occasional gusts even attained ninety miles. It was stated water was running two to three feet deep in streets on the bay front but that the damage had been comparatively small and no deaths had been reported. It was also stated that the storm appeared to be decreasing in intensity.

5000 People Flee

About 5000 persons are estimated to have left Galveston for Houston and other interior points during the last 24 hours, fleeing from the storm. The life saving crew of Galveston, it was said in the last message from the city, while held in readiness, had not been called upon for its services, there being no occasion for its use.

The interruption with Beaumont

and Houston was said by telegraph and telephone officials to have been caused by heavy rain and winds but not severe as to cause apprehension for the safety of citizens in those localities.

Communication Cut Off

Hundreds of residents of Port Aransas, Sabine, Sabine Pass, Port O'Connor and other small coast cities, were reported also to have left their homes and hurried to places away from the Gulf coast but there have been no reports that the storm did damage to any of these places. Port Arthur reported last night that the storm had attained only 45 miles an hour at that place, while it was stated to have reached 65 miles at Sabine. Sabine Pass and Sabine Pass were cut off from communication with the outside at the same time that wires failed to Beaumont and conditions there are uncertain but it was reported during the night that half the population of about 1000 in the two places had left.

Buildings Blown Down

Numerous bath houses and small buildings blown down at these small cities and towns, however, was the extent of the damage according to last reports. Not a single loss of life had been reported early today.

Victims of the storm reported the destruction of a few small houses and nothing further was heard from there during the night.

WOULD START NEWSPAPER

FOUR RUNAWAY BOYS HAD AMBITIONS TO STARTLE BOSTON BY LIVE PAPER

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Four runaway boys, three of them with an ambition to establish a newspaper which would startle Boston, were gathered in by the police of the Back Bay station this morning.

One of the lads, 9-year-old Walter Nicholson, a state ward at Tewksbury, was returned to that institution this morning.

The other three will be turned over to the state board of charities and will be sent back to St. Philip's Home in New York city, whence they fled a few days ago. The three are William D. O'Leary, 17 years old, of 514 East 13th street, New York; Charles Wilkinson, 17 years old, of 460 52d street, Brooklyn, and Jeremiah J. Sheehan, 16, of St. Philip's Home, New York city. All three are printers, and when arrested by Patrolmen Leo and Nagle said that they came here hoping to establish a regular newspaper.

GEN. JOHN C. BLACK DEAD

CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Gen. John C. Black, Civil war veteran, former congressman and former United States commissioner of pensions, died suddenly today in his room at a local hotel.

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For Indigestion and Biliousness

those foes of comfort and well-being, there is one family remedy universally regarded as the best corrective of deranged conditions of the organs of digestion. Present suffering is relieved promptly, and worse sickness prevented by timely use of

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Let this wonderful remedy tone your stomach, stimulate your liver and kidneys, regulate your bowels and you will feel improved throughout your entire system. A few doses will prove to you why, for the common and minor ailments of life, Beecham's Pills

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## JITNEY KILLED HORSE

LOWELL-LAWRENCE VEHICLE SAID TO HAVE FIGURED IN ACCIDENT YESTERDAY

LAWRENCE, Aug. 17.—While riding horseback along the Lowell boulevard yesterday afternoon a man, whose name could not be learned, and his horse were struck by a Lowell-Lawrence jitney and the horse was instantly killed while the rider was hurled across the road. He was picked up unconscious but quickly revived and was uninjured except for a bad shaking up and a few cuts and bruises. The horse was removed by a horse undertaker.

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Free Jewelry Gifts

A \$2 article from our Jewelry Store for checks showing purchases amounting to \$10 in our shoe dept. Save the shoe checks and get a valuable present. Also save one-third to one-half on shoes.

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JAMES CURRY vs. FRANK MURPHY THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUG 19



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Ladies' Rest and  
Waiting Room on  
Second Floor.

## HAT DEPT.

Men's Straw Hats, in Bennett and soft curl brim, \$1.00 and \$1.50 values. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Men's Shepherd Plaid Caps, in all sizes, with leather sweat band, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 29c

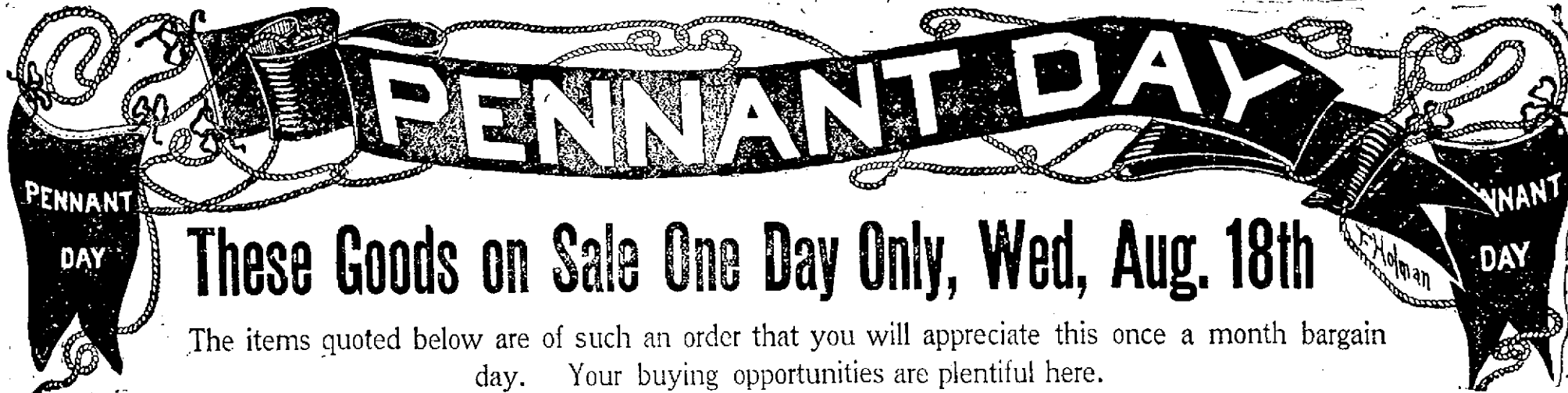
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White Untrimmed Hats, values \$1.93 and \$2.48. Pennant Day ..... 98c  
Colored and Black Untrimmed Hats, values \$9c and \$1.93. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
All Trimmed Straw Hats, values \$3.50 and \$5.00. Pennant Day ..... 98c and \$1.93  
Straw Braids, values 88c and 98c. Pennant Day ..... 49c  
Wreaths, regularly sold for 49c. Pennant Day ..... 19c

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Pennant  
Day  
Saves  
You  
Money

## Women's and Misses' Skirts

Odd lot of many styles including White Wash Skirts, broken sizes, \$2.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 49c  
Wool Skirts in many styles, in plain and tunic effects, colors are black, blue, green and brown, with values up to \$6.00. Pennant Day ..... \$2.98

## Women's and Misses' Suits

Broken lot of Suits, including out-sizes for stout women, many sold as high as \$20. Pennant Day \$5.98

## Women's and Misses' Dresses, Coats

Odd lot of Dresses and Coats, dresses of lawn, gingham and chambray; values \$2.00 to \$5.00. Pennant Day ..... 88c  
White Embroidered Dresses, tunic effect, also lawn and linen; value \$3.98. Pennant Day ..... \$1.98  
Fine quality Dresses in gingham, pique, crepe and striped chambray; \$2.95 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.69  
White Net Dresses, tunic effect, high girder belt, many styles to select from; regular \$10 value. Pennant Day ..... \$2.98

## HOUSE DRESSES

House Dresses, 34 to 46, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
House Dresses, made of good gingham and chambrays, \$1.00 values. Pennant Day ..... 65c  
Afternoon Dresses, in all new patterns, wide skirts; regular \$1.50 and \$2 values. Pennant Day 88c  
Street Dresses in gingham, seersucker and chambrays, \$3 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.29

## APRONS

Allover Aprons, in light and dark colors, 49c value. Pennant Day ..... 33c  
Allover Aprons, in light colors, 39c value. Pennant Day ..... 19c  
Apron Dresses, in light and dark colors, closed back, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c

## KIMONOS

Long Muslin Kimonos, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 49c  
Long Crepe Kimonos, new styles and pretty patterns, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day ..... 85c

## BOUDOIR CAPS

Boudoir Caps, in all colors and styles, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 45c  
Boudoir Caps in white, pink and blue, 39c value. Pennant Day 19c

## CANDY DEPT.

American Mixture of Chocolate Fingers, Dito Sandwich, and Morning Noon and Night Cookies, 23c value. Pennant Day ..... 16c  
English assortment of 13 different kinds, 15c value. Pennant Day 25c  
Novelties of all kinds with values to 60c. Pennant Day ..... 5c

## KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's Fine Ribbed Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, lace and cuff knees, sizes 6 and 8, 49c value. Pennant Day 27c, 2 for 50c  
Women's Lisle Vests, fine stitch and Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeveless, 25c value. Pennant Day ..... 14c  
Women's Fine Ribbed Jersey Vests, low neck, sleeveless, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day ..... 9c, 3 for 25c  
Children's Fine Ribbed Jersey Vests, low neck, sleeveless and short sleeves. Pants cuff and lace trimmed, first quality, sizes 20 to 34. Regular 25c value. Pennant Day ..... 17c  
Lot of Summer Jersey Vests, sizes 6 and 8, 7c value. Pennant Day 5 for 19c

## WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Women's Pure Silk Hose, double welt of lisle, double sole and high spliced heel, colors sand, putty, pink, sky, tan, suede, Russian green, first quality, regular \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 75c  
Women's Silk Hose in black and colors, 4 inch garter top of lisle, high spliced heel, double sole, (seconds of \$1.00 quality). Pennant Day ..... 50c  
Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned and seamless, high spliced heel and double sole, elastic top, 25c value. Pennant Day ..... 18c  
Women's Full Fashioned Black Cotton Lisle Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, wide welt, 25c value. Pennant Day 12 1/2c, 6 Pairs 65c  
Women's Black Cotton Hose, medium weight, double heel and toe, subject to slight imperfections, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day 3 Pairs for 25c

## TOILET GOODS

Perfume Extract in rose, mayflower, carnation pink, crabapple and trefle; value 50c an oz. Pennant Day ..... 25c an Oz.

## WHITE BACK MIRRORS

With bevel edge, straight and ring handles, slightly imperfect, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 25c

## JEWELRY DEPT.

Bead Necklaces, in plain and graduated, assorted colors and lengths, values 20c and 60c. Pennant Day ..... 11c  
Gold Plated Chain, with a handsome pendant, set with white stones, amethyst and rubies, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 14c  
Sterling Silver Baby Spoons, several designs, \$1 and \$1.25 values. Pennant Day ..... 79c  
Silk Bags in red, purple, navy and black, 50c value. Pennant Day 29c

## CORSETS

Now lot of P. N. Corsets, with neatly trimmed tops, well boned, \$1 value. Pennant Day ..... 65c  
New Corsets, light and heavy weight, in long and short lengths, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 50c  
Fancy Trimmed Brassieres, in new patterns, 39c value. Pennant Day 19c  
Children's Walists, in all sizes, 29c value. Pennant Day ..... 19c  
Sanitary Aprons of light weight rubber, 19c value. Pennant Day 11c  
New Fancy Trimmed Ruffles, 23c value. Pennant Day ..... 19c  
Boxes of Sanitary Napkins, 3 in a box, 15c value. Pennant Day 7c

## Children's Dept.

Children's Summer Dresses, values \$1.49, \$1.98 and \$2.98. Pennant Day ..... \$1.00  
Children's Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 14, 49c values. Pennant Day 29c  
Children's White Dresses, sizes 6 to 14, values 98c and \$1.43. Pennant Day ..... 49c  
Children's Woolen Sweaters—good for school wear, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.49  
Children's Summer Coats, serges, poplins and mixtures, sizes 6 to 14, value \$5.00. Pennant Day \$2.98  
Children's Cotton Skirts, lace and embroidery trimmed, 49c value. Pennant Day ..... 37c  
Children's Slip-on Dresses, in tan, blue and white, sizes 2 to 6. Pennant Day ..... 10c

## INFANTS' DEPT.

Infants' Long Slips, 98c and \$1.49 values. Pennant Day ..... 79c  
Infants' Flannel Skirts, embroidered edge, 69c and 98c values. Pennant Day ..... 59c  
Infants' Long Slips, lace and embroidered yokes, \$1.98 and \$2.49 values. Pennant Day ..... \$1.69  
Infants' Short Dresses, pretty embroidered, \$1.49 and \$1.98 values. Pennant Day ..... \$1.00  
Infants' Silk Bonnets, \$1.49 and \$1.98 values. Pennant Day ..... \$1.00  
Infants' Head Blankets, good flannel, pretty embroidery, 89c value. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Infants' Lisle Hose, in pink, blue, tan and white. Pennant Day ..... 10c

## Women's Gloves

Women's 16-button White Silk Gloves, first quality, embroidered back, double tipped fingers, 75c value. Pennant Day ..... 49c  
Women's 1-clasp Cape Gloves, in tan and gray, flexible quality, spear point, also black, fine quality, embroidered backs, all sizes, 53c to 75c, regular \$1.50 values. Pennant Day ..... \$1.10

## RIBBONS

All Silk Ribbons, in fancy stripe, awning stripe, light and dark Dresden, plain moire, taffeta and satin, 5 to 1 1/2 inches wide, 35c value. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Lot of fancy Dresden, stripes, messaline, satin taffeta, black and white stripes, brocade satin and fancy plaids, very desirable for fancy work, 25c and 22c values. Pennant Day ..... 15c

## HAIR PINS

Very large loop top Hair Pins in amber and shell, 10c and 25c values. Pennant Day ..... 5c

## STREET FLOOR

## Muslin Underwear

Lace Camisoles, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 15c  
Women's Drawers, made of Windsor crepe, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Night Robes, made of good cotton, extra large, 79c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
Combinations, lace and hamburger trimmed, 79c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
Corset Covers and Drawers, 69c values. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
Long White Petticoats, with deep embroidered flounce, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 55c  
Combinations, Envelope Chemise and Night Robes (counter soiled), values to \$1.98. Pennant Day 55c  
Pink and Blue Petticoats, made of Tussah silk with deep lace flounce with lace underlay, \$2.98 value. Pennant Day ..... 89c  
Combinations, Night Robes, Chemise, straight and envelope, and Petticoats, values to \$2.98 (counter soiled). Pennant Day ..... 89c

## WAIST DEPT.

White and Colored Waists (counter soiled). Regular price \$1.00. Pennant Day ..... 29c  
White and Colored Waists. Regular price \$1.00. Pennant Day 55c  
Middy Blouses, made of the best quality galatea with colored crepe trimming, all sizes, \$1.25 value. Pennant Day ..... 55c  
White, pink and flesh Colored Crepe de Chine Waists, value \$2.50. Pennant Day ..... \$1.50  
White and Colored Crepe de Chine, Steadline, Tub Silk and Jap. Silk and Chiffon Waists, values to \$5. Pennant Day ..... \$1.50

## PETTICOATS

Colored Gingham Petticoats, extra large size, 69c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
Colored Mercerized Petticoats, regular value \$1. Pennant Day 39c  
Colored Silk Petticoats, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day ..... 55c  
Colored Mercerized Petticoats, \$1.23 value. Pennant Day ..... 89c

## Women's Neckwear

Embroidered Swiss Vests with back, 69c value. Pennant Day 25c  
Quaker Collars with colored borders, 49c value. Pennant Day 25c  
Long Sleeve Gimpes, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.00  
Quaker and Standup Collars, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 37c  
Colored Veilings, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day ..... 5c Yard

## HANDKERCHIEFS

Children's Handkerchiefs, 5c value. Pennant Day ..... 1c Each  
Women's Soiled Handkerchiefs, 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day ..... 3 for 25c  
Men's Lined Handkerchiefs (soiled), 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day ..... 3 for 25c

## READY-TO-USE DOMESTICS

Japanese Drawn-work Scarfs and Squares, some with embroidery, 60c value. Pennant Day ..... 35c, 3 for \$1.00  
Bleached Bath Towels, fringed ends large size, 12c value. Pennant Day ..... 8c  
Bath Towels, extra large size, hemmed ends, heavy weight, 25c value. Pennant Day ..... 14c  
Sheets, bleached cotton, double bed size, 39c value. Pennant Day 27c  
Sheets, round thread bleached cotton, size 72x90, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 35c  
Pillow Cases, soft finish cotton, size 42x35 11c value. Pennant Day ..... 8c, 4 for 30c  
Bedspreads, light weight for summer use, hemmed ends, 79c value. Pennant Day ..... 55c  
White Satin Quilts, scalloped ends, full size, latest designs, \$2.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.75

## NOTION DEPT.

3c Darning Cotton, in black, white and colors. Pennant Day 3 for 5c  
Wire Hair Pins, plain and crimped, 6c value. Pennant Day 6 papers 5c  
English Tape, white superfine, 1-4 to 3-4 inches wide, 10c value. Pennant Day ..... 6c  
5c Basting Cotton, 500 yard spools. Pennant Day ..... 2 for 5c  
3c Toilet Pins, best polished needle point, full count. Pennant Day 3 for 5c  
Sewing Thread, 200 yard spools, in white and black, 3c value. Pennant Day ..... 5 for 10c  
5c Lined Finished Thread. Pennant Day ..... 2 for 5c  
5c Corset Laces, 5 yds., mercerized, cotton and lisle. Pennant Day 2 for 5c  
Hat Elastic, black only, 2c value. Pennant Day ..... 1c a Yard

## DRAPERY DEPT.

Figured Silkoline, suitable for mantle scarfs, curtains, etc. 12 1/2c value. Pennant Day ..... 9c Yard  
Curtain Muslins for sash or long curtains, regular value 10c. Pennant Day ..... 7c Yard  
100 Axminster Rugs, size 27x54, \$1.98 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.19  
Rag Rugs, strictly washable; regular value \$1.19. Pennant Day 79c  
White End Curtain Rods, 10c value. Pennant Day ..... 5c

## FURNITURE DEPT.

Porch Rockers, rattan seat, also suitable for kitchen, \$1.93 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.19  
White Enamel Beds, Colonial posts with brass mounts, \$3.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$2.49  
National Springs, all sizes, fully guaranteed, \$3.00 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.95

## SHOE SPECIALS

300 pairs of Girls' and Women's Low Shoes—great bargains for wearers of small sizes. Oxfords and Pumps in white and black leather, sizes 1 to 4 only. Regular prices \$1 and \$2. Pennant Day ..... 50c  
Women's \$1.50 Comfort Shoes, soft kid skin, Juliette with tip or plain toe. Pennant Day ..... 98c  
Women's New Full Shoes, in gun metal, patent colt and violet kid, button and blucher boots with kid or cloth top. Regular prices \$2 and \$2.50. Pennant Day ..... \$1.50  
Women's Low Cut Shoes, regular prices \$1.35 to \$2.00. The lot consists of Oxfords and Pumps, remnant ends of our previous sales, all good wearing shoes, all sizes in the lot. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Girls' Boots, Oxfords and Pumps, patent leather and gun metal, in all sizes up to 2. Regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.50. Pennant Day 75c  
Odd lot of Children's Pumps and Barefoot Sandals, regular prices 50c and 75c. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Men's High Cut Shoes in blucher and button style, plain and patent leathers. Regular price \$2.00 and \$2.50. Pennant Day ..... \$1.49

## BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT.

Boys' Washable Pants, in gingham and galatea, plain and striped, 15c values. Pennant Day ..... 8c  
Boys' Rompers, in high grade galatea, in blue, tan and red stripes, 50c value. Pennant Day 37c  
Boys' Wash Suits, new Tommy Tucker style, also a few vestees, \$1.00 values. Pennant Day ..... 59c  
Boys' Norfolk Suits, Bulgarian style, in blue serge and gray casimere, striped belt and patch pockets, \$2.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.49  
Boys' Khaki Pants, dark shades, broken sizes of our 50c line. Pennant Day ..... 37c  
Boys' Raincoats, dark gray and tan, broken sizes, values \$1.50 and \$2.00. Pennant Day ..... 98c

## DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

## Men's Furnishings STREET FLOOR

Men's Negligee Shirts, in solsette, madras, percale and silk front, soft French cuffs, coat style, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Men's Tub Silk Front Shirts, warranted to wash, soft French cuffs, coat style, all styles, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.15  
Men's Night Shirts, in heavy domot, cut extra big and long, sizes 15 and 16 only, 75c and \$1.00. Pennant Day ..... 59c  
Men's Lisle Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length, all sizes, (seconds), \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 60c  
Men's Athletic Union Suits, in plain muslin and basket weave, knee length, loose fitting, 75c value. Pennant Day ..... 39c  
Men's Lisle and Heavy Web Suspender, cast-off leather ends, 25c value. Pennant Day ..... 15c  
Men's Four-in-hand Ties in pure silk, all the latest colorings with easy band, open end, 30c value. Pennant Day ..... 35c  
All our odds and ends of Silk and Wash Silk Four-in-hand Ties, regular 25c value. Pennant Day 10c  
Men's Fibre Silk Hose, double welt, sole and toe, black only (seconds), all sizes, 25c value. Pennant Day 14c, 2 for 25c

## ENVELOPES

The best Lined Envelopes, very heavy corresponding size, 25 in a package, 15c value. Pennant Day ..... 16c

## MEN'S STORE

Auto Dusters, in linen shades only, sizes 35 to 50, military collar and cut full, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Men's Raincoats, in tan and oxford gray, all seams strapped and cemented, sizes 35 to 42; \$10.00 value. Pennant Day ..... \$6.50  
Men's Raincoats, in tan, double texture, all sizes to 44; \$3.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.98  
Men's Suits in fancy serges, worsted and cassimere, plain or patch pockets, in brown, gray or green plaids and mixtures. Values \$10 and \$12. Pennant Day ..... \$7.39  
Men's Worsteds and Cassimere Pants in gray and brown, also blue serges, sizes 30 to 50 waist, \$2.00 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.73

## STREET FLOOR

## MEN'S CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Wool Cheviot, Gray Striped Suits, sizes 35 to 42. Value \$3.00. Pennant Day ..... \$3.39  
Men's Suits in black worsted, Venetian lined and well tailored, all sizes to 42. Values to \$8. Pennant Day ..... \$5.00  
Men's Suits in black worsted with half-line stripe; pants can be finished plain or cut bottom, \$3.50 value. Pennant Day ..... \$5.00  
Men's Pants, in blue serge, black cheviot and fancy mixtures, all sizes, 30 to 44, \$1.50 value. Pennant Day ..... 79c  
Men's Pants, in black cheviot, mixtures and gray stripes, 30 to 42 waist, \$2.00 value. Pennant Day ..... \$1.39

## DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Negligee Shirts, in blue chambray and cream and white with separate collars, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Men's Halbriggan Underwear, shirts with short sleeves, drawers with double seat (seconds), 60c value. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Men's Medium Weight Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, (seconds), 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 35c  
Men's Canvas Gloves with knit wrist, 10c and 12 1/2c values. Pennant Day ..... 7c, 4 for 25c  
Broken lines of Men's Cloth, Pants and Straw Hats, values 50c to \$1. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Men's Bow Ties, in all colors, 10c value. Pennant Day 5c, 6 for 25c

## BOYS' FURNISHINGS

Boys' Negligee Shirts, either with or without collars, laundered or soft French cuffs, sizes 12 1/2 to 16, 50c value. Pennant Day ..... 25c  
Boys' Black Stockings, sizes 8-10 only, 10c value. Pennant Day 7c, 4 for 25c  
Boys' Wool Sweaters in V neck and Byron collar in crimson only, sizes 28 to 34, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 69c  
Boys' Pajamas, in solsette, madras and percale, in plain and fancy colors, sizes 8 to 16, \$1.00 value. Pennant Day ..... 59c

## DOLLS

Character Dolls, several styles, select from, regular value \$1. Pennant Day ..... 49c

## SODA FOUNTAIN SPECIALS

Pineapple Temptation College Ice, 10c size ..... 5c  
24 SODA CHECKS, \$1.00 Value ..... 69c  
Vanilla Cream, with frozen pudding sauce, 10c size ..... 5c

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## CALL HIMSELF EMPEROR

YUAN SHI-KAI TO PROCLAIM HIMSELF RULER OF CHINA—NEWS CREATES SENSATION IN PEKIN

PEKIN, Aug. 17.—The project of proclaiming himself emperor is being discussed by Yuan Shi-Kai, President of the Chinese republic, with his immediate supporters and Prof. Frank Johnson Goodnow or John Hopkins university, legal advisor to the Chinese government, who is spending the summer in Peking.

Prof. Goodnow, who secured the confidence of Yuan Shi-Kai by advice given in former critical times, has been consulted on this question since his arrival here a month ago and it is learned that he approves the project.

The news, become public by the deliberate publication in yesterday morning's newspapers of accounts of the formation by several prominent men of an association for the purpose of discussing whether a monarchy is not better form of government for China.

The published article telling of the formation of the society quotes Prof. Goodnow as declaring that for China a monarchy is a better form of government than a republic and that conditions are different in China and America, and it is impossible to transplant a system of one country to another.

It is learned from one of Yuan Shi-Kai's intimate supporters that if the project proves feasible the plan is to establish the monarchy within two years.

The news has created a sensation in Peking and is being telegraphed throughout the country.

## MATRIMONIAL

Prud'homme-Peladeau

Arthur Prud'homme and Miss Ardelia Peladeau were married yesterday, the ceremony being performed at a private nuptial mass celebrated at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. Joseph J. Albert, O. M. I. The bride wore white crepe de chine with overalls and she carried a bouquet of roses. She was attended by her father, Pierre Peladeau, while the bridegroom's witness was his uncle, Achille Demers. At the close of the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bride, 20 Dane avenue, where a wedding dinner was served, followed by a brief reception. The happy couple, who were the recipients of numerous costly gifts, left at noon on a honeymoon through the New England states.

Lalime-Gauthier

Victor Lalime and Miss Maria Gauthier, the latter a sister of the deceased wife of Mr. Lalime, were married yesterday at a nuptial mass celebrated at seven o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The couple were attended by René Lalime and Hermenegilde Lorranger. At the close of the ceremony the couple repaired to their home in Gage street, where a wedding dinner was served to the immediate relatives.

Duguay-Lyonnais

Utile Duguay and Miss Desoline Lyonnais, both of Manchester, N. H., were married in this city yesterday, the ceremony being performed at a high nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Jean Baptiste church by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Alexandre Duguay and William Lyonnais, fathers of the bridegroom and bride respectively.

The ceremony was attended by a large number of relatives and friends from this city and Manchester, N. H., the out-of-town delegation having made the trip in three large automobiles of the touring type. At the close of the church ceremony the three machines returned to Manchester, N. H., where a reception was tendered the happy couple at the home of the bride.

The young couple were married in this city because they are first cousins and there is a law prohibiting the marriage of cousins in New Hampshire. A dispensation from Bishop Guertin of the Manchester diocese was obtained and a special permit was ob-

lained from the pastor of the bride's parish to have the ceremony performed in this city. Mr. Duguay came to Lowell last week and made all arrangements for the marriage, going to city hall for a license and to St. Joseph's rectory for other arrangements concerning the marriage. A similar marriage was performed at St. Joseph's rectory a few months ago and another is scheduled for this week, all parties interested coming from Manchester, N. H.

## THE CARLISLE TAX RATE

DROP OF \$6.40 AN AGREABLE SURPRISE—BIG CELEBRATION PRO-

Agreeable surprise was recently given the residents of Carlisle, when the assessors announced the tax rate for 1915. Last year's tax rate was \$15 per \$1000 and a drop in the rate was expected, but when the assessors announced the rate to be \$11.60 per \$1000, a reduction of \$6.40 per \$1000, a most pleasing surprise was sprung.

A movement is on foot for a grand celebration at Carlisle next Friday, the occasion to be an "old home" day. It is expected that many outsiders will join the residents of the town in the celebration and a most delightful time is in store for all who will attend.

The program of the day will open with a grand parade at 10 o'clock in the morning, this to be followed by a varied program of sports. At 12:30 o'clock dinner will be served and it is necessary that all desiring dinner send their names at once to G. G. Wilkins, chairman of the dinner committee.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon an address of welcome will be delivered by Rev. Edwin J. Prescott. Mrs. Belle Harrington Hall of Lowell, the well known reader, will entertain with a few selections. The Middlesex county traveling school band will supply music throughout the day and in the afternoon addresses will be given by Henry A. Shute of Exeter, N. H., author of "The Road Diary of a Real Boy," District Attorney William J. Corcoran of Cambridge, Senator Charles A. Kimball of Littleton and former Senator Edward Fisher of Westford.

## CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

The Westford street fire house would be abandoned, it is just as necessary, in my mind, to have that house in use as it is to maintain the Palmer street house."

"The Westford street house," said Mr. Carmichael, "is within 1000 feet of the Branch street house, a difference in time of about one minute, and with the Branch street house properly equipped with motorized apparatus the Highlands can and would be properly protected."

Mr. Morse, however, maintained that in case of a conflagration in the downtown section it would be necessary to have the Westford street house in operation for the proper protection of the Highlands.

Commissioner Carmichael said he intended to put the horses back in the Westford street house. The question came on the petition to put a properly equipped chemical engine there and the matter was referred to Commissioner Carmichael.

The Voting Lists

The commissioner of finance was authorized to contract with the Courier-Citizen company for the printing of the necessary voting lists at an expense not to exceed \$500. Minor portions having to do with gasoline, wire attachments, etc., were referred.

The mayor read a communication relative to repairs in Boylston street between Sprague avenue and the North Hillier road and another communication from the county commissioner wherein it was stated that a hearing to the petitioners in the Boylston matter would be held in the court house in Gorham street on the forenoon of Sept. 20 at 10 o'clock.

George B. Viles submitted a written request for a hearing on his petition for the extension of a sewer or drain

in West Sixth street and a hearing was set for Sept. 7.

Wants Use of Revenue

Commissioner Putnam submitted an order for the transfer of \$192 from the general treasury to the appropriation for the maintenance of the wire department. The amount asked for represents the revenues of the department for the inspection of underground wires. Mr. Carmichael said he understood that in the beginning of the year the wire department was given money enough to carry it through the year. Mr. Putnam said there were expenses met with that were not anticipated when the appropriations were made. The matter, however, was laid over in order to give Mr. Carmichael an opportunity to investigate.

Money for Mrs. Kenney

The mayor read a resolution relative to the payment of \$1928.00 to the mother of John J. Kenney, the boy who lost an arm and a leg as the result of a fire in the vocational school, Oct. 23, 1911. The money was awarded Mrs. Kenney by a special act of the legislature and the city solicitor was instructed to draw up an order for \$1928.00 which will be the first of three payments. The order provides that the city now pending against the city in the Kenney case shall be dismissed and that the city's assets as well as the boy's interests shall be properly protected. The resolution was passed and the order appropriating the money was put over to Sept. 7.

Dummer Street Extension

Commissioner Duncan made a motion for the seizure of land in connection with the extension of Dummer street from Merrimack street in which it was asked that the city solicitor be instructed to draw up the necessary papers and that the city engineer furnish the necessary delineations and measurements.

The motion was opposed by Commissioner Carmichael, who went on to state that the council had done so many things, but corrected himself and said "voted so many things" that he did not believe it feasible or advisable to have anything to do with the Dummer street extension at this time. He said the extension was a matter that should be allowed to go over for the consideration of some future government.

"This is something," said Mr. Duncan, "that has been agitated for years and I am sure that it would aid very materially to the valuation of property in this vicinity. I believe that we ought to go ahead with it and not allow it to go over to another government. I would like to see it started."

Mr. Carmichael did not think that the extension would improve the outlook very much and Mr. Morse asked Mr. Duncan if he really thought the work could be started this year. Mr. Duncan said the council had made a try at a good many things and he hoped that it would be able to really start something.

"This," said the mayor, "is a proposition to get the necessary data and then will come the real question."

"If we don't intend to do it this year, I do not believe we should take any of the preliminary steps," said Mr. Carmichael.

"I don't hesitate to say," replied the mayor, "that I would vote to extend Dummer street if it can be done within proper bounds."

Mr. Duncan's motion was adopted, Mr. Carmichael voting against.

Engage Consulting Architect

Commissioner Carmichael moved that the mayor be authorized to engage a consulting architect in connection with the new high school. He said that the seizure of the land could not be accomplished, nor could any other of the preliminary steps be taken until a consulting architect had been engaged. The authority was granted.

Rescinded Former Action

In the case of a petition for pole locations in Princeton street the council, at an earlier meeting had given the petitioners leave to withdraw and today, on suggestion or recommendation of Commissioner Duncan and Mr. Morse, on whose recommendation the petitioners had been given leave to withdraw, the council rescinded its action and granted the petition.

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## PERSONALS

Miss Marion Nichols is camping with her sister, Mrs. G. Stanley and family at Rock pond, Pelham, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lorrain and son, Charles, of 33 Puffer street have returned from a week's vacation at Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Clements of 13 Hurd street has gone to Thorndike, Me. to visit her daughter, Mrs. Hogan.

Miss Fannie Sternbame, formerly of Lowell, now of Clinton, is visiting friends here.

A son was born Aug. 14 to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Inglis of 52 Hampshire street.

The members of the Violet Girls club are spending their vacations at Salisbury beach.

Miss Catherine Cox of Wachusett street will spend the week-end at Salisbury beach.

The Bachelor Girls will be found at Salisbury beach for the next two weeks.

Miss Yvonne Asselin of the J. L. Chaffoux auditing department is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Mae Gilligan of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Helen Mack, of the A. G. Pollard Co. will enjoy a vacation for the next two weeks.

Miss Eva Curran of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after spending an enjoyable vacation.

Ex-Alderman James Burns will tour the various beaches during the next two weeks.

Miss Lillian Santimore of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Anna Flanagan of Appleton street will spend the next two weeks camping in New Hampshire.

Miss Lena Ober of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after a two weeks' vacation.

Misses Mae Bradley and Jennie Lohney of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. will visit friends in Chelsea, Thursday.

Arthur Broadway of Lynn, who spent two weeks' vacation in this city, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. William Laroche of 200 B street has returned from a week's vacation spent at Woburn.

Mrs. Hercule Lamothe of Ford street has returned from Woburn where she spent a week.

Mr. Ous Hayden and family, of 20 Apple street, will spend the next two weeks at Salisbury beach.

The Misses Mollie Brophy and Mae Maloney, both popular stenographers, have just returned from a trip to the various beaches.

Antoine Vile of Worcester, who was the guest of his brother "Sam" at Villa of Hildreth street, has returned to his home.

Miss Alice Lelasseur of the A. G. Pollard Co. has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation ending at Willow Dale.

Mrs. William Allen and daughter, Ruth and Ellen of 125 Lombard street have left for Canada, where they will visit relatives.

Charles Fox, a prominent member of the South End club will be found at Salisbury beach for the next two weeks.

The many friends of Miss Vera May of 100 Pleasant street are expected to be home by illness.

Mrs. Josephine O'Brien of Whipple street has returned after enjoying a two weeks' vacation at the old Orchard beach for the past two weeks.

Walter McEvoy of the Bon Marche Co. has returned after spending an enjoyable vacation at the Falcon camp, Willow Dale.

Miss Helen Smith of Greenman street, and Miss Elizabeth Hennessey of Arlington street, are visiting in New York this week.

Miss Sarah Bambrick, of the J. L. Chaffoux Co. has returned after spending two weeks at Hampton beach.

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BASEMENT

## CROPS HAVE SUFFERED

RAIN DAMAGED THE HAY CROP—  
POTATOES AND FRUIT ALSO  
KEPT BACK

According to information received from farmers in the vicinity of Lowell, the July and August rain storms did not cause as much damage as many would expect, and at the Hood farm the superintendent said the rain was a God-send for the second hay crop was the best for years and the new crop of hay harvested offset the loss in the first crop and a good deal more. But not all farmers have had the good luck with their hay of which the Hood people can boast.

Crops in the lowlands suffered mostly from the rain for portions of the farms were flooded and it was impossible in many instances to dry up the land with the result that the crops stopped growing and died.

In Tewksbury the bean crop suffered much from the storms, the wind and heavy rain breaking the stalks. Potatoes in lowlands were completely submerged and badly damaged, but as far as could be learned, other crops with the exception of corn escaped serious injury. The corn crop where not broken down may recover with warm weather.

The superintendent of Hood's farm in conversation with the writer this morning said the corn crop is exceptionally large this year. He said the corn land is covered with large stalks bearing several ears and all in all the crop is the most magnificent ever seen on the farm. Speaking about the hay, the superintendent said the first crop was exceptionally good, but a good portion of it grew up to seed on account of the harvesting being delayed by the rain. The second crop, however, was far better and in fact was the best for years, this being due to the frequent rain. The fruit crop suf-



fered to some extent but if the rest of the month is good it may come out all right. The chief loss is in hay and undoubtedly this commodity will be high priced as a result of the damage. In many cases farmers lost the greater part of their crop during the rainy weeks of July and the early days of this month.

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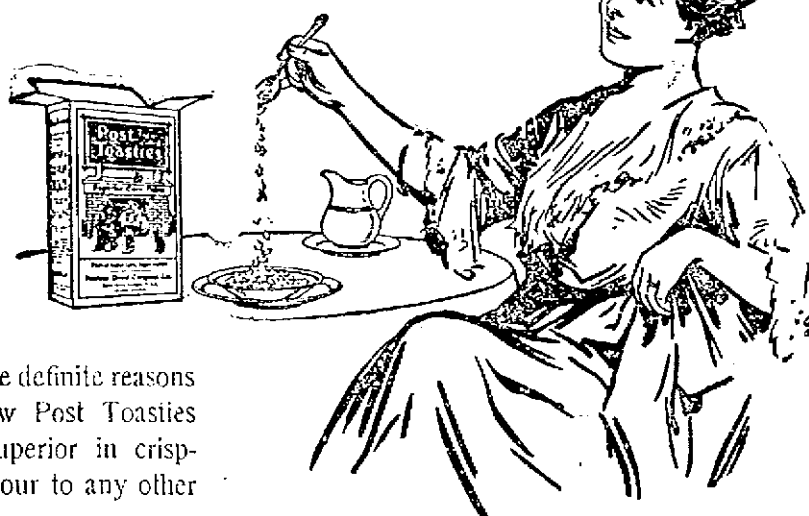
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## GREEN IS THEIR JONAH

LAWRENCE GOES OFF-COLOR WHEN PADDY TAKES THE MOUND—THIRD STRAIGHT FOR LOWELL

In a game that was all that could be desired after the opening inning, with Lawrence taking just enough of a lead to make Lowell fight up-hill, the home team took its third victory in as many days from the champions and incidentally jumped into fifth place. Lowell presented a somewhat patched-up team with Swayne at third and Parker, the rocky in right field, but Paddy Green came nobly to the rescue and everything turned out to the complete satisfaction and delight of the fans.

Lawrence got a three-run lead in the first inning owing to Zieser's wildness. Zieser passed four men, Luster got a single, Warner got a two-bagger to right field and Ostergren got a sacrifice fly, all of which netted three runs for Lawrence. "Then Green went on the mound for Lowell. In Lowell's half, Moulton got a single and went to second on a passed ball. Lowell then went out in order.

In the second inning Thompson opened up to the right of Green for a hit. Luster bunted a fly between the plate and first base and Munn made a beautiful one-handed catch. O'Connell flied out to Parker. Thompson stole second and Ahearn made a bad throw, but Dee interfered with Thompson and the umpire allowed him to take third. Warner hit to Dee and died at first.

Lowell came across with two runs in the second. Dee opened up with a single. Munn dropped a fly to Warner. Parker hit to Shears, forcing Dee at second base. Ahearn hit to right field for a single and Parker stopped on second although he might have made third on the hit. Paddy Green hit the second ball pitched for three bases, scoring Parker and Ahearn. Swayne struck out.

In the third Warner walked, Ostergren hit a fast bunt down to first base to Munn who threw to second. Warner, Green caught Ostergren off first and he was run down the line and tagged out. Conley flied to Swayne.

Lowell's half was of short duration. Moulton hit a high fly to Mahoney. Stimpson hit to Warner and died at first. Barrows flied out to O'Connell.

No runs.

Flaherty got hit by a pitched ball and got first. He went to second on a sacrifice by Shears. Thompson got a single to left field but Stimpson held Flaherty on third by a good throw back. Luster got a base on balls, filling the bases. O'Connell hit to Munn who threw Flaherty out at the plate. Warner flied out.

With one out in Lowell's half Munn got a single and tried to steal second. But it was a case of "what's destined you" for he was a mile behind the ball. Parker pushed out a single but Ahearn after nearly knocking one of Shears' spindles from under him died at first. Flaherty managed to reach second for the visitors on his own hit and a sacrifice but the inning closed with him still out there in the sun.

The seventh was equally asy. Green walked Ostergren and for the second time caught him napping off the bag. Bobber Conley opened the eighth with a single but he didn't move from first. With two gone in the ninth Warner landed the ball into the far field for a two sacker but a moment later was gathering up his bats with the rest of the bunch.

Green opened a busy fifth inning when Shears rubbed the letters on his glove with a pitched ball and Dee walked. Swayne fanned. Moulton and Stimpson followed with two singles in succession and Paddy scored. Moulton getting third. Barrows hit a long fly to Thompson and Alle scored the second run. Dee followed with a hit but there was no more scoring. Ahearn singled and stole second in the sixth but remained there. Moulton scored the fifth and last run in the eighth opening with a two bagger and taking third on a sacrifice. Shears purposely passed Barrows but he reckoned without Shorty Dee, the next batter, for Shorty laid a pretty bunt on which Alle squeezed in. Munn came across with a single but nothing more was scored.

The score:

	ab	r	h	bb	po	e
Swayne 3b	5	0	0	1	2	1
Moulton 2b	4	2	3	3	0	0
Barrows cf	4	2	0	0	0	0
Dee ss	3	0	0	0	0	0
Munn 1b	4	0	2	3	5	0
Thompson lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Ostergren 3b	4	1	2	4	0	0
Ahearn c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zieser p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green p	3	1	1	1	3	0
Totals	32	5	12	17	16	1

Lowell

	ab	r	h	bb	po	e
Thompson lf	3	1	2	1	0	0
O'Connell cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Warner 2b	3	1	2	3	0	0
Mahoney ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ostergren lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Conley 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Flaherty c	2	0	1	5	2	0
Shears p	1	0	0	2	0	0
Fuller p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	20	3	7	10	0	0

Lawrence

	ab	r	h	bb	po	e
Thompson lf	3	1	2	1	0	0
O'Connell cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Warner 2b	3	1	2	3	0	0
Mahoney ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ostergren lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Conley 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
Flaherty c	2	0	1	5	2	0
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Mahoney ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ostergren lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Conley 3b	3	0	1	0	1	0
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## LEE AXWORTHY

Cleveland Four-Year-Old Wins the Trotting Crown

CLEVELAND, Aug. 17.—Thousands of excited racing fans saw a two-year-old crowned king at North Randall yesterday afternoon when Lee Axworthy, Cleveland owned, won from Peter Volo in the \$5000 world's championship stake race.

The racing championship was also decided when William, the stalwart Indiana horse, won from Directum I in two straight heats.

When Peter Volo trotted the first heat in 2:02 and Lee Axworthy came back leading the second in 2:04, they established a world's record for four-year-old trotters.

William, by pacing the first heat of his match race in 1:58, broke the North Randall track record.

It was an ideal day for racing and a great crowd was out early, although the events did not start until 3 o'clock. Several minor events were run off on the half-mile track during the intermissions.

Directum I was a 100 to 60 favorite over William and Peter Volo was generally picked to defeat the Pastime stables star.

Peter Volo won the first heat of the trotting duel in 2:02, breaking the world's record of 2:03 for four-year-old trotters. Lee Axworthy took the second heat in 2:04, making a new record and smashing the world's record for two heats by four-year-old trotters.

Axworthy repeated in the third heat, winning by two lengths in 2:04, breaking the world's record of three heats. It gave Axworthy the first victory that has ever been recorded over Volo.

William Never in Trouble

William had a comparatively easy time winning. Matron's great big gelding won the first heat over Directum I by fully two lengths, finishing in 1:58, which was within half a second of world's record time. This lowered the North Randall pacing record held by Frank Bogash Jr.

The second heat was a repetition of the first, William winning by four lengths in 2:00 flat. Had he been pressed he might have lowered the world's record.

Lee Axworthy, the new champion trotting stallion, is owned by the Pastime stables of Cleveland, driven and trained by W. J. Andrews. William, the pacing king, is owned by A. E. Van Vleet of Oberlin, Ind., and was driven by W. W. Marvin of Lafayette, Ind.

In the judges' stand, officiating under the auspices of the Grand Circuit was a noted bunch of horsemen, E. F. Green, E. A. Tipton, Harry Devereux (starter), F. A. Jones and Charles Tanner. The summary:

**Trotting Championship, 2 in 3**  
Purse \$5000.  
Lee Axworthy, bh, by Axworthy (Marvin).....3 1 1  
Peter Volo, bh, by Peter the Great-Nervolo Belle (Murray).....2 2 2  
Time by quarters: 1st heat.....1:01 1:04 1:04 2:02  
2d heat.....1:01 1:04 1:04 2:03  
3d heat.....1:01 1:04 1:04 2:04

**Pacing Championship, 2 in 3**  
Purse \$5000.  
William, bh, by Abe J-Lizzie C (Marvin).....1 1 1  
Directum I, ch, by Directum Kelly-Zetta R (Murphy).....2 2 2  
Time by quarters: 1st heat.....1:00 1:00 1:00 1:59  
2d heat.....1:01 1:01 1:01 2:00

**2-1/4 Class, Trotting, 3 in 5**  
Purse \$3000.  
Electric McKerron, brh, by John A. McKerron (Lee).....5 2 1 1 1  
Ors (Pinn), by Ors (Pinn).....2 5 4 2 2  
Echomora, bh, by Baron more (Nicksols).....3 2 4 3 4  
Gertie T, bn (Fisher).....3 4 3 3 0  
Kling, ch (Reaves).....1 1 5 5 0  
Time, 2:14, 2:14, 2:14, 2:16, 2:15

**To Beat 2:30, Trotting**  
Vincent Todd, br (3), by Jim Todd (Andrews).....Time, 3:3, 1:04, 1:06, 2:05, 2:05.

**To Beat 2:11, Trotting**  
Peter Watts, brh, by Peter the Great (Morrow).....Time, 3:2, 1:15, 1:52, 2:29.

**To Beat 2:24, Trotting**  
Just one, bh, by Jaybird (Morrow).....Time, 3:12, 1:02, 1:02, 2:15.

**To Beat 2:24, Trotting**  
Binocle, br, by Binocle (Walter).....Time, 3:2, 1:04, 1:12, 2:14.

**To Beat 2:30, Trotting**  
Peter Todd, br (3), by Peter the Great (Walter).....Time, 3:0, 1:08, 1:13, 2:20.

**AMATEUR BASEBALL**

The Florence club is without a game for Saturday and would like to arrange with any fast team. Telephone 3334-31.

The Tyler A. C. has organized a baseball team and is out to meet all comers. Answer through this paper.

The Burnside are without a game for Saturday and would like to catch on with some fast amateur aggregation. Answer through this paper.

The Mysteries have an open date next Saturday and would like a game with either the C. M. A. C. Cadets, Lions or Olympics.

The Oak Leaves are out with a challenge to any amateur team in the city. Address all communications to the sporting editor of The Sun.

The Parkviews would like to meet the State Infantry team or any other strong nine on Saturday. Answer through The Sun Sporting columns.

The Elms will play St. John's team of North Chelmsford on the South common next Saturday afternoon.

The Woodbines won a victory over the C. M. A. C. team last Saturday by a score of 9 to 7. Loose fielding lost for the Pawtucket street boys and the absence of Third Basemen Albert and Catcher Sullivan greatly handicapped the team. Doubt, the C. M. A. C. twirler fanned 15 batsmen while he was also touched up for two circuit clouts in the last stages of the contest. The visitors played good ball and hit opportunely.

**DIAMOND DAZZLES**

We can make that first division, already yes, Charlie. You can do it! I know you can do it!

Allie Moulton was very much there with the "you can do it" stuff yesterday.

Walter Ahearn thinks Shimmie would make a fine catcher. Shimmie thinks Walter thinks too much. He's content

to remain in the outfield and watch Walter peg them to second.

Shears looked all cut up when he was taken out. His delivery had been rudely carved.

Frank Swaine filled in at third base satisfactorily though we'd sooner see him in his own position.

Walter Ahearn stole second yesterday and got away with it. Walter doesn't steal many nor does Walter on Walter. It's a case "quay."

Shubert is still carrying his snubbed finger high in the air which means that he'll not be in the line-up for a few days.

Manager Ketchner has two third basemen on the way, one of whom, White, who has been playing in the South Atlantic league, arrived too late to play. Another is Glennon, a fast semi-professional from Hyannis.

The Lawrence Tribune is yelling for better discipline in the New England league referring particularly to the Pennington case. There should also be much better discipline relative to rowdy managers and players on the field.

When Paddy Green hits the ball he hits it and when he misses it he misses it as strongly as he hits it. Wasn't that a peach of a clout yesterday? Clear out to the centre field fence, and with two on bases. More power to yer, Paddy.

Your Uncle Munn pulled off a one-hand catch of a bunt yesterday that could only be accomplished with a combination of exceptionally long arms, exceptionally long legs and exceptional speed.

One of the gold dust twins who have been doing service as mascots on the players' bench so far forgot himself as to fall asleep while the game was in progress the other day and he was promptly carried by the manager.

The other little chocolate dirt is sun-proof and he has been wide-awake at all times. Lowell hasn't lost since he went on the job.

Arthur Irwin, who introduces players to the big league, finding them temporary berths, and his Lewiston team will be the attraction at Spalding park tomorrow and then we'll have a double-header with Portland, the best bet for the pennant on Thursday. Becker, Irwin's latest big league sale will appear in the Lewiston lineup.

The only time that the Lawrence team looks boyish is when that bunch is stacked up against Green. Paddy has their measure from Warner and Bill Luster down the line. He held them ransacked of 7 innings Saturday and for over eight yesterday.



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## WHAT IS CIVIC SPIRIT?

Almost invariably a visitor to a city which has made a reputation for progressiveness or municipal advancement will say on his return to his home town: "I like the spirit of the place," or "there is a great public spirit in that city." Inversely, one who returns from a visit to a backward town or city will say, "there is something wrong with the spirit of the city." This attitude of attributing progressiveness or backwardness to public spirit or the lack thereof shows that the cultivation of a good civic spirit should be one of the foremost aims of every live municipality.

Civic spirit does not spring into being automatically. It is something that grows from a variety of influences, sometimes conscious and sometimes indirect, but always tending to a common end. It is the fruit of sincerity, earnestness and tireless effort. It cannot exist without genuine pride of the people in the city which they call home. It cannot exist without full cooperation between officials and the general public. It exists at its best in a city where the people demand the best in political and business life and are determined to get the best. Where there is a good healthy public spirit, there is growth in every sense; where there is no public spirit or only a half-hearted spirit, there is stagnation and lack of progress.

Civic spirit and selfishness on a large scale cannot get on together, for selfishness is poison to a healthy public attitude. Years ago when our great cities of this section were founded many of the leaders and influential men had no desire except to advance their private ends. They cared little whether the city was beautiful or ugly; they paid but slight attention to public affairs except when by so doing they could get a hold on the city for their own aggrandizement, and they took only a superficial part in bettering living and working conditions. This spirit of private selfishness has come down to us in some New England cities of today, but we do not find it in the great cities of the west that have grown up in recent years.

The progressive men of business in all cities now realize that by unselfishly cooperating with all who would work for the common good, they will advance their city and in time reap the reward, even in dollars and cents. In cities where there is a live desire for genuine progress, we find groups of leading men in all business and professional pursuits banded together to achieve certain desirable ends. It is well to have competition and even conservatism in some lines, but where we find the officials of all the great industries keeping away from public and civic affairs, something is radically wrong.

A city that cultivates a good public spirit soon reaps a liberal harvest. The people see that if the city is to advance it must have competent management and initiative. They select men for the public offices on business rather than on personal grounds, and they see to it that the public funds are spent wisely. They favor neither extravagance nor false economy, realizing that no city can keep up to the times unless it spends money freely, setting a dollar's worth in return for every dollar spent. The city that has a good public spirit attracts favorable attention from all sides. It is quoted as representing the best in municipal government and business advancement, and it does not hang on to outworn traditions but is always ready to adopt anything new that is an improvement over the old.

How is the Lowell public spirit? This can be determined by applying a few tests. Are our affairs conducted in a businesslike manner, and are our officials men of sincerity, ability and disinterestedness? Are our policies based on political grounds or on the real needs of the public? Do our people really want good, economical and progressive government? Are we up-to-date in all our municipal departments, and do we set a dollar's worth for every dollar spent? Finally, are our leading men of business interested in public affairs, and is there anything like a concerted effort for desirable civic management and real civic progress? On the answer to these questions depends the verdict as to whether Lowell has a genuinely progressive public spirit.

## PAWTUCKETVILLE PROTEST

His Honor, the mayor, and some of the sanguine commissioners who did not anticipate any objection to the location of a hospital for contagious diseases in Pawtucketville were shown unmistakably last Saturday that Pawtucketville is not in love with the proposed institution. Whether there would be any danger of infection or depreciation of property or blocking of progress in this thriving section or not, the people there are practically unanimous in their opposition, and there is nothing hysterical or transitory in their indignation, which is deep and real.

The Sun has shown in these columns that such opposition is not peculiar to Pawtucketville or to Lowell generally, but has arisen in any city of Massachusetts where it was proposed to build an isolation hospital in a pop-

ulous section. Consequently, if the commissioners would escape concerted opposition that would leave a bad legacy for years, they must select a site free from the objections that are so evident in the Pawtucketville selection. In cities where the hospital for contagious diseases has proved most successful in every sense, it has been built either on the land adjacent to the city farm, on land already owned by the city elsewhere, or on the verge of the city limits quite a distance from any residential district. Such is the case in Springfield, Lynn, Lawrence, Fall River and elsewhere.

It is timely and not at all unreasonable to ask now whether the city authorities did wisely, even in a political sense, by rescinding the action of the previous administration, which would have given us a contagious hospital a long time ago. What has been gained by the delay? After dallying over sites here and there, our wise administrators came back to the site originally favored and rejected after strong opposition. We now know that the hospital must be erected and very soon into the bargain, and when the bills are paid, we shall see if the present body has improved on the plans of the last administration. The people of Pawtucketville are watching the situation with interest and the rest of the city watches with great curiosity and a little amused skepticism.

## STOP MOB FRENZY

If the war of the old world is to be fought in miniature on this side by mobs from the various nationalities, there will be a hot old time in many an American city, our own included. It was feared by many at the outset that there would be rival demonstrations and certain outbreaks of animosity, but fortunately the rank and file showed remarkable sense and coolness, and there has been practically no trouble. Natives of England, Germany, France, Austria, Russia and Turkey have worked side by side or stood side by side at the bulletins recounting the victories or defeats of their respective nations, but America has been big enough to absorb them all mentally as well as physically.

Exceptions to this spirit of sanity and American patriotism in its best sense are to be expected. Such an exception was seen in Boston last Sunday when Italian reservists and their friends got mixed up with some officers from one of the interned German ships. A row started and grew more and more menacing and the wonder is that there were not many deaths. It would appear from the newspaper accounts that the mob spirit reached grave bounds, and it is an unfortunate commentary that most of those injured by stones, revolvers or knives are officers of the law. When a mob grows lawless and bloodthirsty, anything that stands for order is regarded with enmity. The demonstration in Boston was most regrettable and now that the heat of passion is passed, none will regret it more keenly than the representatives of the races involved.

While men of all nationalities feel the thrill of national aspirations so keenly, there is danger of excess, and steps should be taken to preserve a real neutrality. At such events as the sailing of reservists or racial demonstrations of any kind, rival nationalities should be kept away, and all races must be shown unmistakably that in America, order and law are paramount and will be maintained at any cost. Were we to permit any racial group or groups to run riot, there would be a sorry future for this country which is made up of representatives of all the races at war and many more. We cannot tolerate the dangerous mob frenzy that turns men into maniacs for the time being.

## SALE OF MUNITIONS

The text of the note which this country sent to the Austro-Hungarian government, published yesterday, sets forth plainly the American attitude in terms that can be understood by all and that will stand out as a declaration of principle, despite the strong opposition to the exportation of arms and ammunition in some circles of this country. Austria is told in friendly but firm language that this country will not stop the exportation of arms because to do so would be unethical, would be against international law, sound national policy and precedent. Moreover, our administration points out to the belligerent in question that during the Boer war when the Boers could not get arms and ammunition owing to England's control of the seas, Germany and Austria sold arms to Great Britain, and explains that an embargo would make it hard for this country to get such supplies, should we be attacked by an outside power. It is also asserted that should each nation be obliged to make its own arms and ammunition, all nations would be converted into an armed camp, making it more difficult for mankind to suppress militarism by universal peace. The note is so strong and forceful as to make it certain that the many activities for the stopping of exports of war munitions have made no great impression on Washington. Though a desire for private gain may be behind most of the exporting of war munitions, the government has shown that common-sense and fair play are

also behind it. Unless there is some unforeseen change in the situation, this country will go on exporting arms and ammunition until the end of the war, and it clearly has the right to do so without discrimination against any of the belligerents.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Please Name 'Em  
The Caesar of Industry is as menacing as the Kaiser of politics.—Lewis-ton Journal.

We're With You  
Manchester wants clean streets and beautiful conditions.—Manchester Leader.

Name as Now  
Meanwhile the war in Europe may last a year or more. In that time, what is to be done in this country?—Boston Advertiser.

Not So Hard, Please  
Carranza deduces as to do our worst. If we are not mistaken we did that the last time we went to Vera Cruz.—Springfield Union.

Quite a Change  
A while ago, the czar was going to the front. Now the front seems to be coming to him.—Cleveland Leader.

Pikers in Fact  
The Americans whom Uncle Sam helped back from Europe a year ago and can pay, but would, are a skintight and shameless lot.—Woonsocket Call.

No One Here  
Something like a summer day. Who's kicking?—Newburyport Herald.

The Men for It?  
President Wilson and Secretary Daniels are said to be spending much of their time at present discussing plans for a big navy.—Brookton Times.

Cannon Ball  
Von Hindenburg to the bat in what may prove a losing fight for Russia in the game at Korov.—Worcester Post.

We Should Worry  
These in the wheat pit have had a trouble. It was ever thus.—Newport News.

Naughty Old Canal  
Isn't the Panama canal old enough to stop sliding?—Salem News.

## OUTINGS FOR THIS WEEK

MANY ARE PLANNED FOR BEACH AND GROVE—WHERE THEY WILL GO

The children of the French orphanage are enjoying their annual outing in Tewksbury today, two special cars having been chartered for the occasion. On Wednesday, the boys from the Essex county training school will hold an outing at Mountain Rock, and on Thursday two special cars will convey the members of the Holy Rosary sodality of the Sacred Heart church to Revere, where they will hold their annual outing. Employees of the Lawrence hose company, under the supervision of Hector McDonald will enjoy Friday at Revere, and on Saturday outings will be held by employees of the Booth mills and Bigelow-Hartford and Helms Electric companies. Mrs. W. C. Connor, head of the committee in charge of the outing to be held by the Bigelow-Hartford employees and R. McDonald is looking after the outing arrangements for the Booth mill employees. It is also expected that close to 2000 railroad workers will take the train for their annual outing at Lakeview on the same day. John McManus, picnic for the children of Lowell will be held at Mountain Rock on Wednesday, and it is expected that a great crowd will attend.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## SLEEPYTIME TALES

### HOW RALPH GOT HIS BICYCLE

Once upon a time Ralph was walking down the main street of the town in which he lived, with his hands deep in his pockets and his mind on how he could earn money enough to buy a bicycle. He knew his father could not afford to get it for him this year for he had heard him say the war had hurt his business very much. As Ralph passed the corner he saw a group of men standing and talking to the wealthy Italian contractor of the town and was just in time to hear him say: "I wish I could get hold of a bright boy to act as water boy for my gang of men." "Will I do?" asked Ralph, stepping up to him. "I would like to earn some money for a bicycle this vacation and will be glad to get the job if my father will let me take it."

The contractor looked at him with a smile and said: "Yes, I guess you'll do, but it is hard work, remember. Come to Grand street tomorrow morning." Ralph ran home to ask his parents and, as they were willing, he went to work the next morning. For several weeks Ralph carried a water pail

## EARWIG PEST NOT HERE

MOSQUITOES AND MIDGES SWARMING IN SWAMPY SOIL—NEWPORT INVADED

Asked today if the earwig pest had struck Lowell, Supt. Kernan of the park department said, "No, I have not heard of any such pest in this locality and I hope we shall remain free from it as we have pests enough to contend with."

"To what do you attribute the prevalence of mosquitoes and midges?" "Undoubtedly the very wet weather and the swampy condition of the soil in many places have caused the increase in the mosquito and midge pests. Only dry and warm weather or a change to cold weather will mitigate these pests."

Last night was perhaps the worst of the summer for mosquitoes. They blazed, clonched, burning, jostled and every other device to overcome their annoyance, with the exception of the closely screened door or piazza. That seemed to be the only refuge from the ravenous insects as they pressed upon their victims last night. Strange to say, too, they were apparently armed with longer and stronger prongs than ever before and their bite was peculiarly severe.

The swarm of midges that fills the air in some places is also very annoying. Various remedies are suggested for keeping them away, but like the mosquitoes, they seem to disregard all schemes adopted to scare them off or even kill them.

But neither the mosquito nor the midge pest is half so bad as the earwig pest that has invaded Newport, R. I., to an extent that has made some of the finest houses almost uninhabitable. The earwig has almost as many feet and feelers as the centipede and looks almost as ferocious. It is dreaded in Europe almost as much as a rattlesnake in this country because of the prevailing belief that the insect makes a special effort to get into the ears of humans, beings while asleep. What ground there may be for this belief is uncertain. We have never heard of an earwig being found in the ear, although if it should enter, it would certainly cause a mental disturbance of the worst kind.

Why the earwig should make its debut among the social 400 at Newport is a mystery as in the old country the insect has been content with the humblest habitations, generally emanating from old rubbish. But the homes of the millionaires at Newport seem to be the chosen abode of the pest in this country.

At dinner in that famous resort the earwigs crawl upon the ladies' décolleté gowns. They jump down inside the collars of the gentlemen. They land in the soup about to be served at table. They actually break up bridge parties. In fact, the social life of Newport has become one long hunt for the earwigs.

The Newport earwig is dormant during the day, and can be knocked off his perch. But at night he is actively at work. He crawls, runs and flies everywhere. Every time the Tallers have guests at their beautiful mansion, the furniture has to be shaken out, the verandas swept over and over, the corners cleaned, the windows sprayed, the doors, cracks and crevices examined. Then, despite the guards posted by Mr. Tallers, they invade his company, and frequently during bridge, they so crawl over the tables and cards that the game must be given up.

Experts Frost and Jones, who have been at Newport for the government, have perfected secret plans which, they say, will rid Newport of the pests. In about two weeks the earwigs will hibernate until next year, and the experts hope that they won't come again next year.

The people of Lowell who complain of mosquitoes and midges may find some consolation in the fact that thus far the earwig has not made its appearance in these parts.

## BOSTON TAX RATE \$18

INCREASE OF 50 CENTS OVER LAST YEAR'S RATE—HIGHEST IN HISTORY OF HUB

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—A tax rate of \$18, which is an increase of 50 cents over last year's rate, was announced last evening by Mayor Curley. Many thought that the reports from the assessing department, which are used in establishing the tax rate each year, would make necessary a tax rate of \$18.10, and it was not until the past few days that the \$18 rate began to appear as an assured possibility.

### Highest Tax in History

The present tax rate is the highest in the history of the city, but is lower than any city of more than 6000 inhabitants in Massachusetts. With reference to this feature the mayor said in his statement issued last evening: "While it is pleasing to know that Boston's rate is lower than that of any city of 50,000 inhabitants in Massachusetts through the practice of reasonable economies in the state, cost of school departments it should be possible to lessen rather than increase the burden next year."

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### KEITH'S THEATRE

Frank L. Packard's widely read novel, "Greater Love Hath No Man," pictured by the Popular Plays and Players Co., and released through the Metro Pictures corporation, is the latest in series of high-class picture plays being given at Keith's. The first three days this week, Emmett Corrigan, the virile American actor, commands the leading role in this production and his work is that of a finished picture star. Assisting him are some of the best motion picture actors and actresses on the stage.

The story is wonderfully interesting and told in a manner that reflects the artistic finish that has invariably characterized Metro releases. Doctor Morton is killed by his son Harold. The latter persuades Varge, the adopted son, to assume the blame and for his foster-mother's sake, who is a girl, would be two-fold, he consents and is convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment.

During his term in jail an attempt is made by a number of the convicts to kill the guard and make their escape. The story is wonderfully interesting and told in a manner that reflects the artistic finish that has invariably characterized Metro releases. Doctor Morton is killed by his son Harold. The latter persuades Varge, the adopted son, to assume the blame and for his foster-mother's sake, who is a girl, would be two-fold, he consents and is convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Athletic men and women always challenge the admiration of the world and from the time of the Roman gladiator until the present day exhibitions of physical strength have had their place in entertaining and amusing the public. This week at Lakeview the management has secured as an added attraction West and Tate, who come direct from the English music halls and are billed as "The Gladiator and the Athletic Girl." West and Tate excel in feats of strength and perform stunts in this line that are seemingly impossible. They appear on the outdoor stage every afternoon at 4 p. m. and every evening at 8:15. In the theatre there will be the usual fine moving picture program. The picture

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## GOVERNORS ARE INVITED

SECRETARY MURPHY IS TRYING TO HAVE THEM VISIT LOWELL AFTER BOSTON

Secretary Murphy of the board of trade is trying hard to have the governors visit Lowell after their visit to Boston. He will know in a day or two whether they will come here.

## HEAT KILLS ONE IN HUB

FIVE OTHERS STRICKEN—COOL WINDS HEADED THIS WAY FROM AROUND THE GREAT LAKES

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—One death and six prostrations were recorded in Boston and its suburbs yesterday from the heat, which, after four days of terrific intensity, is likely to abate today, according to the forecast of the weather bureau. It is said there are cool winds headed this way from around the Great Lakes and that they will reach here today.

The cool winds mentioned sent the thermometer down to 43 degrees in that district yesterday. The official forecast for today is "fair and cooler with moderate west and north winds." On Wednesday showers are promised. In this city yesterday the highest point reached by the mercury was 89 degrees at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. This point made it the second hottest day of the season. At midnight the official reading was 75 degrees.

The heat death was that of Frank Asbury, 43, single, of 95 West Springfield street. South End, who was overcome while seated on the doorstep of his home last night and collapsed. He died before the automobile patrol of the East Dedham street station could reach the city hospital. His death is ascribed to heart disease superinduced by the heat.

## THREE CHILDREN LOST

DROWNED YESTERDAY—TWO OTHERS RESCUED—MANY FELL INTO UNUSED WELL

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—A toll of young lives was taken in a series of local drowning accidents yesterday and several more casualties were averted by heroic rescues. Three boys, the youngest 3 years old and the oldest 12, met death in the water.

Edward L. Freere, 12, of Malden, was drowned at City Point. Joseph Beatty, 5, of South Boston, was lost under the Dover street bridge.

Three-year-old Francis L. Southland, Jr., was drowned in an unused well in Woburn.

Helen Atkins, 11, of Quincy, was heroically rescued by Mrs. Bertha Chisholm at Quincy.

At the North End park two men dived and brought Gaspard Tortorici to the surface when he failed to come up after a dive.

## CAUSE OF THANKS

We the undersigned take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our relatives and friends who assisted us by their many acts of kindness and offerings and words of consolation during the hour of our bereavement at the death of our beloved cousin, Margaret M. Butler. For each and all we feel deeply grateful and will ever remember their kindness. (Signed)—Cousins

Katherine Condon, Mrs. Mary O'Flahaven, David O'Flahaven, Misses Keefe.

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## U. S. DOLLAR STANDARD

### New York Displaces London as Center of Money Exchange—Sterling, Francs and Lires Drop

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The American dollar ruled the financial world yesterday. Pounds sterling, francs, liras, virtually all foreign exchange, went down to new depths in a torrent of bills that poured into the exchange markets from American manufacturers seeking pay for the big war contracts of munitions and other supplies purchased here by the warring nations of Europe.

#### Dollars for War Supplies

Coincident with the startling decline in exchange rates came the assertion from an unimpeachable source that every contract made by the American manufacturers for supplies sent abroad called for payment in American dollars. Instead of English pounds as formerly. The immense losses in consequence, due to the decline in foreign exchange rates, will be borne to the last penny by the foreign buyers, and will not be sustained by the American manufacturers, a situation exactly opposite to what had heretofore been the popular belief.

The maximum depreciation yesterday in pounds sterling was 4 1/2 per cent. below normal in francs 19 per cent. below normal in Italian liras 20 per cent. In the money markets yesterday the pound sold for but \$164.62; francs equaled a dollar, and a dollar purchased 5.18 liras. These were the quotations while rates were at the lowest ebb during the early afternoon. In the last hour of the business day the presence in Wall street of J. P. Morgan for the first time since the attack on his life five weeks ago and an informal conference of bankers to consider the situation sent rates upward on a rebound.

Sterling closed at 4.67 1/2, one-half point higher than it opened and a point and a half under Saturday's close, which established a new low record at the time. Francs gained three points over the low record, selling at 5.39 at the close, and liras rebounded a point, closing at 6.47.

What is to be done to remedy the situation engaged the attention of bankers with international connections at their informal conference late yesterday. It was decided to do nothing, chiefly because the remedy lay across the ocean with the foreign buyers. They and not the American sellers, it was clearly established, were the sufferers and theirs, it was the consensus of opinion, should be the task of setting the money markets to rights.

How this would be done, however, was the object of keen consideration and some speculation. It was generally believed that the present abnormal situation would not be permitted to continue long. The obvious remedy seemed to be to sell American securities held abroad, and when this contingency was studied, the situation seemed to be pregnant with unique possibilities.

A great many millions of American securities, payable of course, in dollars, when due, are held abroad, chiefly high class railroad bonds and preferred stock of certain railroads and the bonds and preferred stock of a selected list of American industrialists. Should these securities be sold at the present exchange rates in foreign markets they would fetch far more than the purchasers paid for them, due entirely to the depression of exchange.

#### Can Sell U. S. Bonds at Profit

Thus a \$1000 American bond sold in Paris at par would on account of the prevailing exchange rate, bring approximately 6000 francs. When purchased at par a year ago, the cost of the purchaser was approximately 5050 francs. The net profit would be about 950 francs, or about 19 per cent, the percentage of depression in francs in American markets. In London the profit would be approximately 4 1/2 per cent and in Rome the profit would approximate 25 per cent.

With these prospective profits as an inducement, it was believed that holders abroad would be willing to sell and that foreign buyers of American goods would have little difficulty in procuring a large amount of American securities abroad as collateral for a temporary loan in this country which would tend to correct exchange rates. The establishment here of a big foreign credit, estimated conservatively at \$500,000,000, was thought to be absolutely necessary if exchange rates were to be restored to anything like normal figures.

## A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The successful baseball careers of the Kimball system, Lawrence Mfg. and Co. South End teams, three strong local semi-professional baseball teams backed and encouraged by enterprising business concerns or manufacturers, call back the old days slightly over a quarter of a century ago when the Hoods of Lowell, backed by C. I. Hood, of Sarsaparilla fame, were known all over New England. The idea of manufacturing concerns backing baseball teams is as old, perhaps, as the traditional hills and origins of the concerns in remote places which in order to hold their employees had to provide recreation and entertainment for them and hence provided ball teams. Originally the concern having such ball teams would have all of the players working in the shop during the week allowing them time off for practice and earning them extra money for their services on the diamond. But these shop and industrial baseball teams, grew so, in numbers and importance, that genuine professionals were introduced, first, the batteries, and then players of the other positions, the concerns in time would appear on the diamond none of whose players had ever seen the inside of the factory they represented. Quarter of a century ago there were few professional teams even in the big league that had much on the Hoods of Lowell or the Millers of Wakefield, a famous organization that represented the Miller Piano company. In recent years, Lowell has seen but a few such teams until Mr. Kimball, the energetic head of the system bearing his name, decided to have a systematic ball team. An agent Walker of the Lawrence Mfg. Co. who is an ardent fan, came to the assistance of the team that represented his mill and provided them with a first class ball park. The P. and Q. management annexed the famous South End and now it seems like the good old days to be able to go to a game at the stadium when the league team is not at home. At a recent game between the Kimball system team and the Lawrence Mfg. company, the only sign-painter in uniform was playing for the hostery team while the only hostery man was the manager. A little thing like that does not bother the fans. They're out to see their team regardless of the names and occupations of the men in the lineup. Such teams go a great way toward promoting good feeling between employer and employee, and a little more of that spirit would go a great distance in settling the permanent armistice between capital and labor. It was Mr. C. I. Hood, of Lowell who through love of good sport set the example for all local employers of labor to follow, quarter of a century ago and I'll give you an account of the old team as gleaned from the columns of the old Sun.

The Famous Hood Team  
The Hood team won the championship of the city in 1886 and the old Sun had the following:  
"The main part of this team is due to the liberality of Mr. C. I. Hood, the extensive dealer in Hood's Sarsaparilla and other health-giving concoctions. This gentleman has taken a lively interest in the club that bears his name, and as nearly all of the young men who play on the team are employed in his laboratory he has given them opportunities to perfect themselves in the science of twirling the sphere. Mr. Hood has allowed the young men who play to practice the game on Saturday afternoons (there were no half-holiday days then) during the warm weather for the last three years, giving them their pay, providing them uniforms, etc. and encouraging them in many other ways. His generosity has had the effect of making the ball players persevering at play and at work and they do nobly at both. The organization of the team was the work of Charles S. Maxwell, secretary and Z. Wm. Sturtevant, treasurer. Under that management this year the Hoods have defeated every local team they have played and have given a rub to the strongest professional teams in the state. They began the season by defeating the Belles of Lowell, who claimed the championship of the state. Then a controversy arose between the Hoods and the Matthews as to which was the champion team and Managers Lachance and Dowd, of the Matthews, settled the matter by a date, and the Hoods were the victors by a score of 4 to 2. The Matthews, however, were not ready to give up the championship and two more games were arranged. Only one was played for the Hoods won and the Matthews gave up the ghost. Of seventeen games played by the Hoods this season 12 have been won, 5 lost and one drawn. The games won were from the Belles, Hubs of Boston; Pepperells, Alerts of Billerica; Bay States of Boston; college; Milfords, Y. M. T. A. of Lawrence; T. R. and T's of North Billerica; one each and two from Collinsville and Matthews. The games lost were to the Nashuas, Maldens and Manchester and two to the Concord. The drawn game was with the W. B. and S. of Lowell."

Who They Were  
Go out to Spaulding park these days, and sometimes you'll hear the gentle voice of Ed. Lachance coaching the home team and a modesty telling of how the game was played when the Hoods were on earth. I'd like to reproduce the picture of Ed. that the old Sun printed in 1886. He was a regular Apollo when he was "growing up." Ed was manager of the Hood team and had charge of the shipping department the rest of the time. He's still on the job in the shipping department, and if I am not mistaken is the C. I. Hood company's oldest employee in point of continuous service—and he's a young fellow still. I mean, yet, for he's hoping, he'll never be still.  
Nathaniel W. Lachance was a catcher when Jack Donovan was not behind the bat and an outfielder. He generally caught Billy Meade, while Donovan caught Roger Connors. Lachance played with Royalston, Mass., and the Athletics. They came to Collinsville to play with the Collinsville team and he did so well that he was introduced to the art of making Sarsaparilla.  
Jack Donovan, was recently "written up" in this column as a famous old time ball player and now head of the Police League.  
John H. Connors, the famous "Roger" of quarter of a century ago, a regular player and all round performer, including member of the regular army, whaler and globe-trotter, broke into baseball with the Hoods and pitched and played the outfield. He went out to Michigan afterward with Jack Donovan and subsequently went farther west, as I informed you a few days ago. But when playing around Lowell he was a permanent member of the Hoods, though he also played with the Belles and Belts in Vermont and one day at Poultney, Vt. He played the wonderful record which still stands in that state, of a no-hit, no run game in which he struck out 23 men. He also once won a game in the far west by the unprecedented score of 11-2 to 1, the only case of his kind on record, there's some doubt of that, however, of which I'll tell you at another time, but the Vermont record is genuine.  
Henry C. Maguire played with the Hood team and continued to work at the laboratory long after his ball playing days were over. He played first base for the Lowells in 1884 and captained the Matthews in 1885.  
Charles Maxwell, who captained the Hoods in that year had the distinction of having been in a big league club before playing with the local team. In 1884 Charlie played second base for the Billerica team and showed such class that the following year he went to Detroit and played with the Detroit team. After two seasons with Detroit he returned and became captain of the Hoods. After leaving the Hoods he played with the T. R. and T's of North Billerica and his playing was so good that they made him postmaster of the village.  
Cornelius H. O'Hearn, the crack third baseman of the Hoods, afterward became a professional and played with Concord and other teams in the Michigan and other leagues. He first played with the Lowells in 1884 and his playing got him a job with the Holyokes when they were the champions of New England. In 1885 he came back from the Holyokes and played with the T. R. and T's Matthews and then joined the Hoods.  
The late Z. Wm. Sturtevant, who held a position of responsibility at the laboratory for many years, was one of Arthur E. Salmon's baseball contemporaries for he played with the Bartlett school team way back in 1874. In 1885 he was with the Belles of Lowell and left them to go with the Hoods, playing short stop and left outfield.  
Daniel P. Guthrie was a Lowell boy who played a fast short stop and was a heavy hitter. He broke into the game with the old Burkes and jumped them and went to the Matthews, their hated rivals, in the cold water league. In 1888 he went out to Collinsville but he was too good to be lost in the woods and hence he was shown how to make patent medicine. John R. Cunningham could play about any position on the team but pitcher, and was a good batter.  
William P. Meade who with Roger Connors did the pitching for the Hoods, broke into the game with the Lowells in 1884 and in 1885 went to Boston College and after pitching for that team joined the Hoods during his vacation days. He was 19 years of age at the time. In 1886 he became a professional. Eddie broke into the game with the old time star of the South common, the old South Ends. He started in as a catcher and in his first big game the South Ends defeated the North Billerics. Eddie catching Dick Conway who afterward became the famous Boston pitcher and who is a star base runner.  
Then there was Eddie Cull, brother of the mayor's secretary, John Cull, who afterward became a well known professional. Eddie broke into the game with the old time star of the South common, the old South Ends. He started in as a catcher and in his first big game the South Ends defeated the North Billerics. Eddie catching Dick Conway who afterward became the famous Boston pitcher and who is a star base runner.

One would never dream of placing Mrs. Belle Harrington Hall, Lowell's talented and charming reader, among the quarter of a century convays of Lowell, but the old Sun conveys the information with the following:  
"Mr. Irving J. Hall and Mrs. Belle Harrington were married by Rev. P. K. Chase, at Dover, N. H., Wednesday (August 20). Mr. Hall is a well known business man of the firm of Puffer & Hall, commission merchants, and a sergeant in the Cadets. Miss Harrington is an educationist who has delighted Lowell audiences on several occasions with her excellent readings. On their return to Lowell the happy young couple will reside in Coral street."

Mr. Hall is still as pleasing before an audience as in days gone by, her services are constantly in demand and she is ever pleased to respond when her household duties permit. She is frequently called out of town to appear at entertainments and her ability is recognized throughout New England. Mr. Hall is well known about town and holds a position of responsibility with the street department. Their many friends will unite with the writer in extending congratulations, and sincere wishes for a charming golden wedding 25 years hence.

THE OLD TIMER.  
Organizer Daniel E. Whelan returned yesterday after spending the week-end with his family in Brockton.  
Carpenters' union, Local 49, will meet tonight in Carpenters hall for the transaction of important business.  
The Painters' union will meet Thursday night to take action on the Labor day parade.  
Walker Kelly, formerly employed at the Heine Electric Co., has accepted a position with the U. S. Cartridge Co.  
Elgin Lodge, N. E. O. P., will meet in regular session Thursday night in Vesper hall, Branch street. Routine business will be transacted and a large attendance is desired.  
The special officers at the plants of the U. S. Cartridge Co. made their first appearance in the new uniforms yesterday. They will be sworn in within a few days.  
The labor vote is to become a decided factor in coming city politics. Before the start of the year labor organizations of this city had 7000 enrolled members and at the present time the figure has jumped to close to 10,000.

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers will be away all this week on organizing duties. His schedule will take him through this state, Maine and Connecticut.

#### Boat & Shoe Workers' Union

The Boat & Shoe Workers' union held a largely attended meeting in the Runkels building last evening at which several new members were initiated. A list of routine business was also transacted and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, who presided delivered a very interesting address on organization and the value of the union label.

#### Labor Forward Committee

The labor forward committee will hold an important meeting this evening in Trades & Labor hall. The committee is arranging to open new meetings during the coming two weeks, and open meetings for drug clerks and laundry workers will be held on Aug. 23.

#### Bakers' Union

At the meeting held by the Bakers' union in the union headquarters in the Runkels building last evening, the principal speaker, Jack Zamford of Chicago, international organizer for the bakers will be in this city on Friday and will attend the meeting of the bakers to be held Saturday evening.

#### Moulders' Union

At a meeting of the Moulders' union held last night in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street, President John D. Williams was elected marshal of the moulders' division in the Labor day parade. The union will also enter a tug-off team in the tug-off to be held at the South common. The reports of the delegates to the Trades & Labor council and the committee on the labor forward movement were read and accepted as progressive. A communication was received from the International organization stating that an eight hour day and increased wages for the labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

#### Open Meeting

On Thursday evening an open meeting for machinists of this city will be held at Machinists' hall, Old Fellows building, Middlesex street. P. J. Conlin, international vice president of the machinists' organization; Ross L. Hall, business agent of Lynn and vicinity and other prominent labor advocates will address the meeting. All machinists are invited to attend.

#### Loomfixers' Union

Local 23, Loomfixers' union held its regular meeting last night in the union quarters in the Runkels building with President John Hanley in the chair. Further arrangements were made for the Labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

#### Machinists' Campaign

The campaign waged by the International Association of Machinists for the Labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

#### At Lakeview

There were probably 7000 more or less at Lakeview last Saturday, but they were a different crowd from the mobs who flocked there a quarter of a century ago and the attractions they sought were of a different nature. The Sun of a quarter of a century ago had the following:  
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agement depended upon athletics, dancing and fireworks to draw the crowds.

#### Hall-Harrington Nuptials

One would never dream of placing Mrs. Belle Harrington Hall, Lowell's talented and charming reader, among the quarter of a century convays of Lowell, but the old Sun conveys the information with the following:  
"Mr. Irving J. Hall and Mrs. Belle Harrington were married by Rev. P. K. Chase, at Dover, N. H., Wednesday (August 20). Mr. Hall is a well known business man of the firm of Puffer & Hall, commission merchants, and a sergeant in the Cadets. Miss Harrington is an educationist who has delighted Lowell audiences on several occasions with her excellent readings. On their return to Lowell the happy young couple will reside in Coral street."

Mr. Hall is still as pleasing before an audience as in days gone by, her services are constantly in demand and she is ever pleased to respond when her household duties permit. She is frequently called out of town to appear at entertainments and her ability is recognized throughout New England. Mr. Hall is well known about town and holds a position of responsibility with the street department. Their many friends will unite with the writer in extending congratulations, and sincere wishes for a charming golden wedding 25 years hence.

#### INDUSTRIAL and STORE NEWS

Organizer Daniel E. Whelan returned yesterday after spending the week-end with his family in Brockton.

Carpenters' union, Local 49, will meet tonight in Carpenters hall for the transaction of important business.

The Painters' union will meet Thursday night to take action on the Labor day parade.

Walker Kelly, formerly employed at the Heine Electric Co., has accepted a position with the U. S. Cartridge Co.

Elgin Lodge, N. E. O. P., will meet in regular session Thursday night in Vesper hall, Branch street.

Routine business will be transacted and a large attendance is desired.

The special officers at the plants of the U. S. Cartridge Co. made their first appearance in the new uniforms yesterday. They will be sworn in within a few days.

The labor vote is to become a decided factor in coming city politics. Before the start of the year labor organizations of this city had 7000 enrolled members and at the present time the figure has jumped to close to 10,000.

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers will be away all this week on organizing duties. His schedule will take him through this state, Maine and Connecticut.

#### Boat & Shoe Workers' Union

The Boat & Shoe Workers' union held a largely attended meeting in the Runkels building last evening at which several new members were initiated. A list of routine business was also transacted and Organizer Daniel E. Whelan, who presided delivered a very interesting address on organization and the value of the union label.

#### Labor Forward Committee

The labor forward committee will hold an important meeting this evening in Trades & Labor hall. The committee is arranging to open new meetings during the coming two weeks, and open meetings for drug clerks and laundry workers will be held on Aug. 23.

#### Bakers' Union

At the meeting held by the Bakers' union in the union headquarters in the Runkels building last evening, the principal speaker, Jack Zamford of Chicago, international organizer for the bakers will be in this city on Friday and will attend the meeting of the bakers to be held Saturday evening.

#### Moulders' Union

At a meeting of the Moulders' union held last night in Cotton Spinners' hall, Middle street, President John D. Williams was elected marshal of the moulders' division in the Labor day parade. The union will also enter a tug-off team in the tug-off to be held at the South common. The reports of the delegates to the Trades & Labor council and the committee on the labor forward movement were read and accepted as progressive. A communication was received from the International organization stating that an eight hour day and increased wages for the labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

#### Open Meeting

On Thursday evening an open meeting for machinists of this city will be held at Machinists' hall, Old Fellows building, Middlesex street. P. J. Conlin, international vice president of the machinists' organization; Ross L. Hall, business agent of Lynn and vicinity and other prominent labor advocates will address the meeting. All machinists are invited to attend.

#### Loomfixers' Union

Local 23, Loomfixers' union held its regular meeting last night in the union quarters in the Runkels building with President John Hanley in the chair. Further arrangements were made for the Labor day celebration and it was announced that an auto truck has been secured to carry the float in the parade. Several committees were appointed and two new members were initiated.

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## U. S. REPLY TO GERMANY

### Answer on Sinking of Frye Accepts Proposal for Reparation—Arbitrate Disputed Provisions

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The American reply to Germany's last note on the sinking of the American sailing ship, William P. Frye, made public here today by the state department, accepts the proposal that damages be fixed by a mixed commission and that the disputed treaty provisions be submitted to arbitration at The Hague, but calls on Germany for a statement, meanwhile, as to whether she intends to conduct her future naval operations in accordance with her interpretation of the 1864 London Convention and treaty or those of the United States.

#### On Way to Settlement

The note is regarded as putting the noted case well on the way to a settlement. It is addressed by Secretary Lansing to Ambassador Gerard at Berlin, and follows:

You are instructed to present the following note to the German minister for foreign affairs:

Under instructions from my government, I have the honor to inform you that in reply to your note of July 30 in regard to the claim for reparation for the sinking of the William P. Frye that the government of the United States desires to see the submission of this case to the prize court for decision have not commended themselves to the Imperial German government and the government of the United States. The reason presented by the Imperial German government for submitting this case to the prize court have failed to remove the objections of the government of the United States to the adoption of that course. As this disagreement has been reached by the Imperial German government and the government of the United States in our previous correspondence, a further exchange of views on the question in dispute would doubtless be unprofitable, and the government of the United States therefore welcomes your excellency's suggestion that some other way should be found for settling this case.

#### Methods of Settlement

The two methods of settlement proposed as alternative suggestions in your excellency's note have been given careful consideration by the United States. It is believed that if they can be combined so that they may both be adopted, they will furnish a satisfactory basis for the solution of the questions at issue.

The government of the United States has previously expressed its desire that the question of amount of indemnity to be paid by the Imperial German government under its admitted liability for the loss of the vessel and captain on account of the destruction of the Frye should be settled by diplomatic negotiation and it entirely concurs with the suggestion of the Imperial German government that the simplest way would be to agree as proposed in our note, "that each of the two governments designate an expert and that the two experts jointly fix the amount of indemnity for the vessel and any American property which may have been sunk with the vessel, to be paid by the Imperial German government when ascertained as stated in your note. It is assumed that the arrangement will include some provision for calling in an umpire in case the experts fail to agree."

#### Acceptable to United States

The government of the United States notes that your suggestion is made with the express reservation that a payment under this arrangement would not constitute an admission that American treaty rights had been violated but would be regarded by the Imperial German government merely as fulfilling a duty or policy founded on existing treaty stipulations. A payment on this understanding would be entirely acceptable to the government of the United States provided that the acceptance of such payment should likewise be understood to be without prejudice to the contention of the government of the United States that the sinking of the Frye was without legal justification, and provided also that an arrangement can be agreed upon for the immediate submission to arbitration of the question of legal justification, in so far as it involves the interpretation of existing treaty stipulations.

There can be no difference of opinion

between the two governments as to the desirability of having this question a true intent and meaning of their treaty stipulations determined by the out of court, and to that end the government of the United States proposes that the alternative suggestion of the Imperial German government also be adopted, so that this question of treaty interpretation can be submitted forthwith to arbitration pursuant to article 33 of the Hague convention for the pacific settlement of international disputes.

#### Can Promptly Be Settled

In this way both the question of indemnity and the question of treaty interpretation can promptly be settled and it will be observed that the only change made in the plan proposed by the Imperial German government is that, instead of eliminating either one of its alternative suggestions, they are both given effect in order that both of the questions under discussion may be dealt with at the same time.

If this proposal proves acceptable to the Imperial German government, it will be necessary also to determine whether, pending the arbitral award, the Imperial German government shall govern its naval operations in accordance with its own interpretation, or in accordance with the interpretation maintained by the United States as to the obligations imposed by their treaty stipulations; and the government of the United States would be glad to have an expression of the views of the Imperial German government on this point.

Lansing.

## DIED OF HIS INJURIES

FRANK C. SOUSA OF NORTH STREET DIED IN NASHUA HOSPITAL

Frank C. Sousa, of 52 North street this city, the young man who figured in a motorcycle accident in Nashua, N. H., yesterday, an account of which was published in yesterday's issue of The Sun, died from his injuries at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua, yesterday afternoon. Deceased was 19 years of age and was employed at the U. S. Cartridge company. He is survived by two brothers, both of this city. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough, Sons.

#### TO JOIN OBLATE ORDER

Three Young Men Took Their First Vows at Tewksbury Novitiate Sunday

Emile Bolduc, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zephirin Bolduc of Woodcock avenue and brother of Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I. of St. Joseph's parish; Lucien Brassard, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Brassard of 31 Hope street, and William McFadden, also of this city, took their first vows for admittance to the Oblate order at the Tewksbury novitiate Sunday. The ceremony was presided over by the provincial of the Oblate order for this part of the country, Very Rev. T. Wade Smith O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church. The relatives and a number of friends of the young men attended the ceremony. Messrs. Bolduc and Brassard are former pupils of St. Joseph's college, this city, and the three young men completed their studies at Holy Angels' college in Buffalo, N. Y., last June.

John Conlan, a prominent member of the C. Y. M. I. will be in Winthrop for the rest of the week looking after arrangements for the Sullivan-Richards swim to be held Saturday.

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